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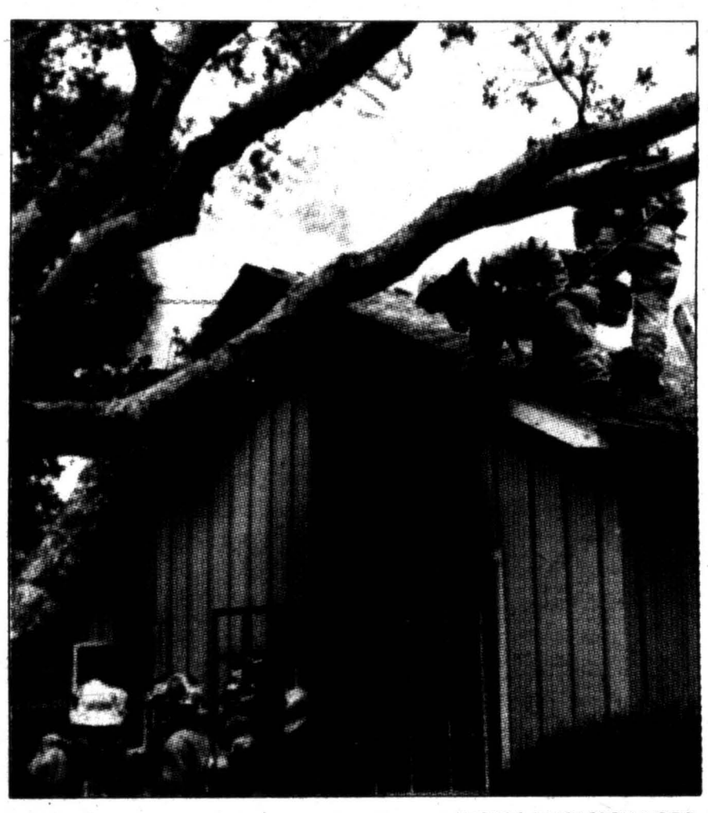
WIRING BLAMED FOR HOUSE FIRE

By MARY BROWNFIELD

A LIGHT switch inside a closet shorted out and started a fire that incinerated part of a Hatton Road residence this week, according to Cypress Fire Battalion Chief Steve Robertson. The most severe damage in the Aug. 19 fire occurred in a den, bedroom and closet. No one was injured.

Firefighters from the Cypress Fire Protection District arrived at the scene moments after Teri Lane — who had just returned home — found her house filled with smoke, opened the windows and dialed 911.

Crews from the Cypress, Carmel and Carmel Valley fire departments fought the fire as it burned in the front rooms of the home. Firefighters cut a hole in the roof to ventilate the hot gases that were accumulating in the attic.



PHOTOS/MARY BROWNFIELD

While flames raged inside a home on Hatton Road Monday afternoon (below), firefighters cut a hole in the roof to allow the hot gases to escape.

"We were trying to contain the fire in a small area," Robertson said. "We put the hole over the hottest part of fire so the heat can go straight up there while we have hoses in operation."

Robertson said the fire originated in the faulty switch and, with the added oxygen from the open windows, quickly spread through the rooms.

"When the switch shorted out, it started a fire that was right inside the switch, burning the plastic and insulation, and then spread to the wood," he said.

The fire grew in the closet before burning through the door. The den and

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Lehman resigns from park district board

By MARY BROWNFIELD

JUDI LEHMAN abruptly resigned from the board of directors of the Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District this week, just days after a document came to light that raised serious doubts about the legality of her serving on the park board while simultaneously occupying a director's seat with the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District.

Lehman would not comment on her resignation. But fellow board member Zad Leavy said the document — a legal opinion from the California Attorney General — had nothing to do with her resignation.

"I don't think she'd even seen it," Leavy said of the AG's document, which states that it is illegal for anyone to serve two elected offices which have conflicting duties.

Lehman was elected to the park district board in 1994 and reelected in 1998. She was also elected to the water board in 2001.

The question of Lehman's serving on two boards first arose July 1, when former water board director Ron Chesshire, who lost his spot to Lehman last year, raised the issue at a park district board meeting. Later that month, he sent a letter to the water and park districts asking if Lehman was violating the law, and if so, how that would affect her votes.

At the time, water district counsel David Laredo said he knew of no court or attorney general's decision that held the offices were incompatible. He added that even if they were, Lehman's water board seat, being the most recent position to which she was elected, would supersede her spot on the park district.

*See **LEHMAN** page 23A*

Study shows half of pine trees are free of pitch canker disease

By TAMARA GRIPPI

THE INITIAL findings of an extensive pitch canker research project show that 50 percent of Carmel's pines on the east side of town are healthy while only 2 percent of standing trees are dead from the fungus. Another 179 trees that were victims of the illness have been removed by the city.

Approximately 1,000 trees on both public and private property alongside the roads east of Junipero were surveyed by volunteers participating in the study headed up by U Win, Ph.D., a research associate at California State University Monterey Bay's Spatial-Information Visualization and Analysis [SIVA] Resources Center.

While emphasizing that the findings are preliminary, Win noted some interesting trends in the spread of the disease throughout eastern Carmel, including:

■ younger trees have a much higher infection rate than older pines. While 70 percent of the older trees appeared to be completely healthy, only 32 percent of the young

*See **PITCH CANKER** page 8A*

PHOTO/PAUL MILLER

Carmel tree-care specialist Jaime Aquino a young "super pine." The tree, planted next to Mission Street, is one of 15 trees that have proved resistant to pitch canker.

'The Poet' offers gift of reading to the blind

By TAMARA GRIPPI

PENINSULA RESIDENTS who are blind or have extremely limited eyesight have a new best friend at the Blind and Visually Impaired Center of Monterey County — a friend who will take the time to read anything to them, including bills, newspapers, books, letters and even poetry.

This month, the BVIC introduced the "Poet" — a-state-of-the-art reading machine that can scan any document and read it aloud.

The $3,500 Poet was one of several new technologies funded by a $15,000 grant the BVIC received this year from AT&T Pebble Beach Charities, which distributes money raised during the annual Pebble Beach National Pro-Am golf tournament.

Besides the reading machine, the funds were also used to buy a new large-print monitor for the center and to supplement the salaries of the nonprofit's instructors.

While the center — which serves blind and visually impaired clients throughout Monterey County — already offers "read-aloud" technology, the Poet is a big improvement over what has existed thus far.

And with only a handful of buttons needed to operate it, the Poet is probably the most user-friendly tool the BVIC offers. "It's the most powerful computer in the whole center, but it's also the most simple," said Janet Wilson, an instructor at the center, which is located at the corner of Laurel and Third in Pacific Grove.

Wilson explained that the Poet is very precise — rarely garbling words — and speaks with a voice that sounds quite natural. Up until now, reading-aloud technologies have featured voices that sounded like a computer talking.

In addition, those who call on the Poet have their choice of nine different voices and can even speed up or slow down the reading voice. The Poet can scan documents in both Spanish and English.

Many of the clients who visit the BVIC also have some sort of hearing impairment, so the ability to adjust the Poet to

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Winemaker countersues, says the grapes were no good

By MARY BROWNFIELD

SMITH-ANDERSON Enterprises, Inc. — the Los Angeles company sued earlier this month by Talbott Vineyards for not paying for hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of Chardonnay grapes — countersued Talbott in L.A. County Aug. 15, alleging the grapes were no good. The company, which makes wines under the Napa Valley-based Stonehedge label, is asking for damages in excess of $5 million.

But attorney Anne Secker, speaking for Talbott, said Smith-Anderson's lawsuit is simply a reaction to being sued for not paying their bills.

"It's a classic case of thinking that the best defense is a good offense," she said. "And in this case there's no truth to the allegations. They never, ever said anything about the alleged lack of quality of the grapes until their back was up against the wall and they owed us $343,000."

According to its counter-suit, Smith-Anderson entered into a five-year contract with Talbott in August 1998 for 350 tons of Chardonnay grapes a year — with the assurance they would yield wines that could retail for as much as $60 a bottle.

The price for each of the 350 tons delivered annually was based on that anticipated return but what the grapes actually yielded was nothing near that level, Smith-Anderson alleged. The grapes delivered to the winery were grown in the Salinas Valley.

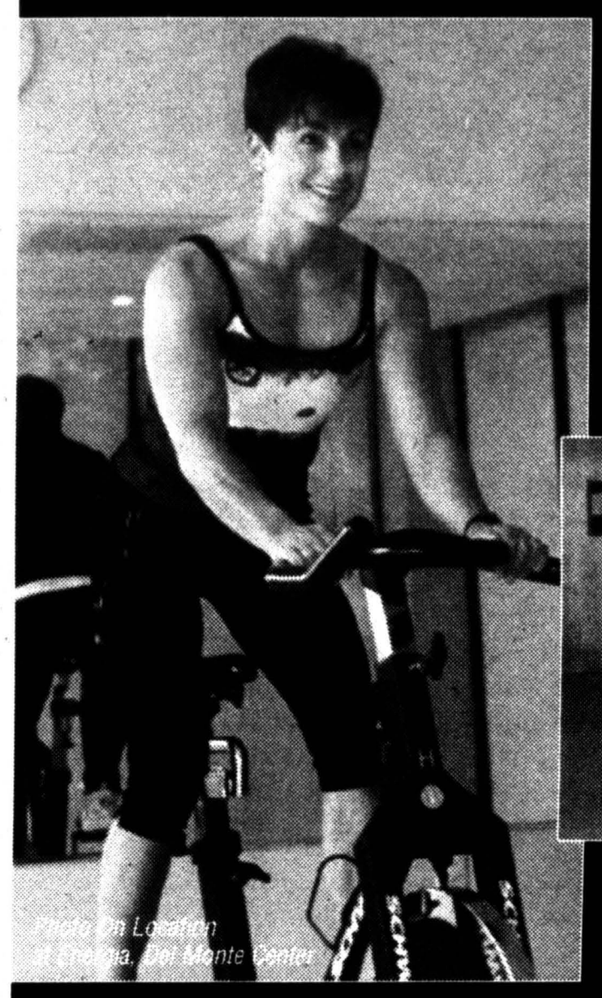
"Since harvest of 1998, defendant has consistently delivered inferior quality grapes unfit for the production of high quality wines commanding $50 to $60 per bottle in violation of the said written agreement and price per ton agreed upon," the complaint reads.

The company accused Talbott of "poor or otherwise negligent farming practices and delivering low quality grapes producing wines with a retail market value in the range of $5 per bottle."

That constitutes a breach of contract and violation of commercial laws, according to attorney Shahbaz Shahabi.

Talbott's lawsuit against Smith-Anderson, filed in Monterey County Superior Court Aug. 8, alleges the company only paid $75,000 toward $401,894.25 worth of Chardonnay grapes delivered in 2001.

According to the contract attached to that complaint as an exhibit, the price per ton is based on the California Department of Food and Agriculture "Final Grape Crush Report." The agreement also calls for Talbott and Smith-Anderson to consult each other on growing practices, and allows Smith-Anderson to reject grapes based on sugar content, defects and other factors.



Help protect offshore rocks

HAVE AN idea how to protect offshore rocks, islands and pinnacles?

Then you're encouraged to brainstorm for a management plan for the formerly taken-for-granted formations — now federally protected — at a public meeting hosted by the U.S. Department of the Interior from 7 to 9 p.m. Sept. 4 at Stanford University's Hopkins Marine Station in Pacific Grove.

The rocks, islands, exposed reefs and pinnacles along the entire length of the California Coast, and as far out as 12 nautical miles offshore, were designated as the California Coastal National Monument by a proclamation issued by former President Clinton.

Rep. Sam Farr (D-Carmel) originally introduced legislation to protect California's rocks and islands in 1999 and President Clinton thought it was such a good idea, he designated the California Coastal National Monument by proclamation — which doesn't require Congressional approval — according to Rochelle Dornatt, Farr's chief of staff.

The Bureau of Land Management is hoping to involve the public at the earliest stages of planning for the new coastal monument. California's offshore rocks and islands provide important safe havens for seabirds — including gulls, pelicans, cormorants and petrels — and provide breeding habitat for seals, sea lions and the threatened southern otter.

Those who can't attend the upcoming meeting can submit their ideas in writing by Oct. 25 to Rick Hanks at the Bureau of Land Management, California Coastal National Monument, 299 Foam Street, Monterey, CA 93940.

Beach cleanup Saturday

THE HORDES of visitors to Carmel Beach this summer have been good for the local economy.

But the crowds also left behind plenty of trash, and that means there are lots of cups, bottles, cigarette butts and other detritus waiting to be picked up.

You can help return our city's beautiful beach to its usual pristine state by taking part in the Carmel Residents Association's monthly cleanup set for 10 a.m. Aug. 24.

Just grab some gloves and meet at the foot of Ocean Avenue. Coffee and pastries, courtesy of Caffe Cardinale and the Carmel Bakery, will be available to fuel your morning on the beach.

For more information on the beach cleanup and the CRA, visit the group's website at carmelresidents.org or call 624-3208.

CHARITY OFFERS SHADE TO SHELTERED HORSES

By MARY BROWNFIELD

WHEN THE Redwings Horse Sanctuary moved from the cool coast to southern Monterey County in March, many of its aged equine residents suffered in the unaccustomed heat.

Temperatures were above 100° during several weeks this summer and shade became essential for the rescued horses' health. But some pastures on the sanctuary's 160 acres have few trees while others offered no shade at all.

But not so anymore. The Harden Foundation came forward this month with $11,000 to build shade shelters for Redwings' horses.

"Especially because a lot of our residents are older and their bodies have been compromised because of past starvation, it's harder for them to handle the heat and more important for them to be kept in the shade," said staffer Barbara Stallings.

The sanctuary offers a permanent home to horses that have been abused, neglected or abandoned, and currently has 86 in residence at its Lockwood ranch. Another five live on private property in Prunedale but are still cared for by Redwings volunteers.

The new, free-standing shelters vary in size, with some providing enough shade for about six large draft horses or more than a dozen ponies, Stallings estimated.

She applauded the foundation for being a staunch supporter of the sanctuary.

"The Harden Foundation has helped us with a lot of buildings and things that are really necessary but don't appeal to the general public that much," she said. On the other hand, "the public got behind us really well with our hay problem."

Stallings was referring to Redwings' cries for hay last May, when its fields produced no crops of their own and supplies were running low. That need still exists — the sanctuary is currently buying its hay on credit — but Stallings said the public's response was immense.

Kerry Davenport, also with Redwings, said the sanctuary received donations of individual bales and cash, as well as 100 bales donated by Vitascan after it used the hay to baffle noise while operating at The Crossroads Shopping Village. The contributions totaled two truckloads of hay, according to Davenport. It takes seven a year to feed their horses.

"We got some much larger than average donations from a lot of people who were really concerned, and from people who had never donated before," Stallings said.

Help fill the food pantries even though it's not Christmas

By TAMARA GRIPPI

THE CHRISTMAS decorations are in storage and the Salvation Army bell ringers are nowhere in sight, but the nonprofit still needs your help. The Salvation Army of Monterey County, which provides food baskets to more than 200 families each month, has a lot of empty space in its food pantry these days.

Donations of canned fruits, vegetables, meats and juices, as well as dry goods including pastas, rice, macaroni and cheese mixes, and peanut butter would really help out, said Chris Belluomini, director of the organization's Good Samaritan Center.

Even fresh produce would be put to use right away. So locals with overflowing vegetable gardens and fruit trees have a destination — the Good Samaritan Center, 800 Scott Street in Sand City.

"We rely on the holiday food to get us through the year, and we're definitely on the way down," Belluomini said.

Each month between 200 and 240 families drop by the Good Samaritan Center to pick up a food box, which helps

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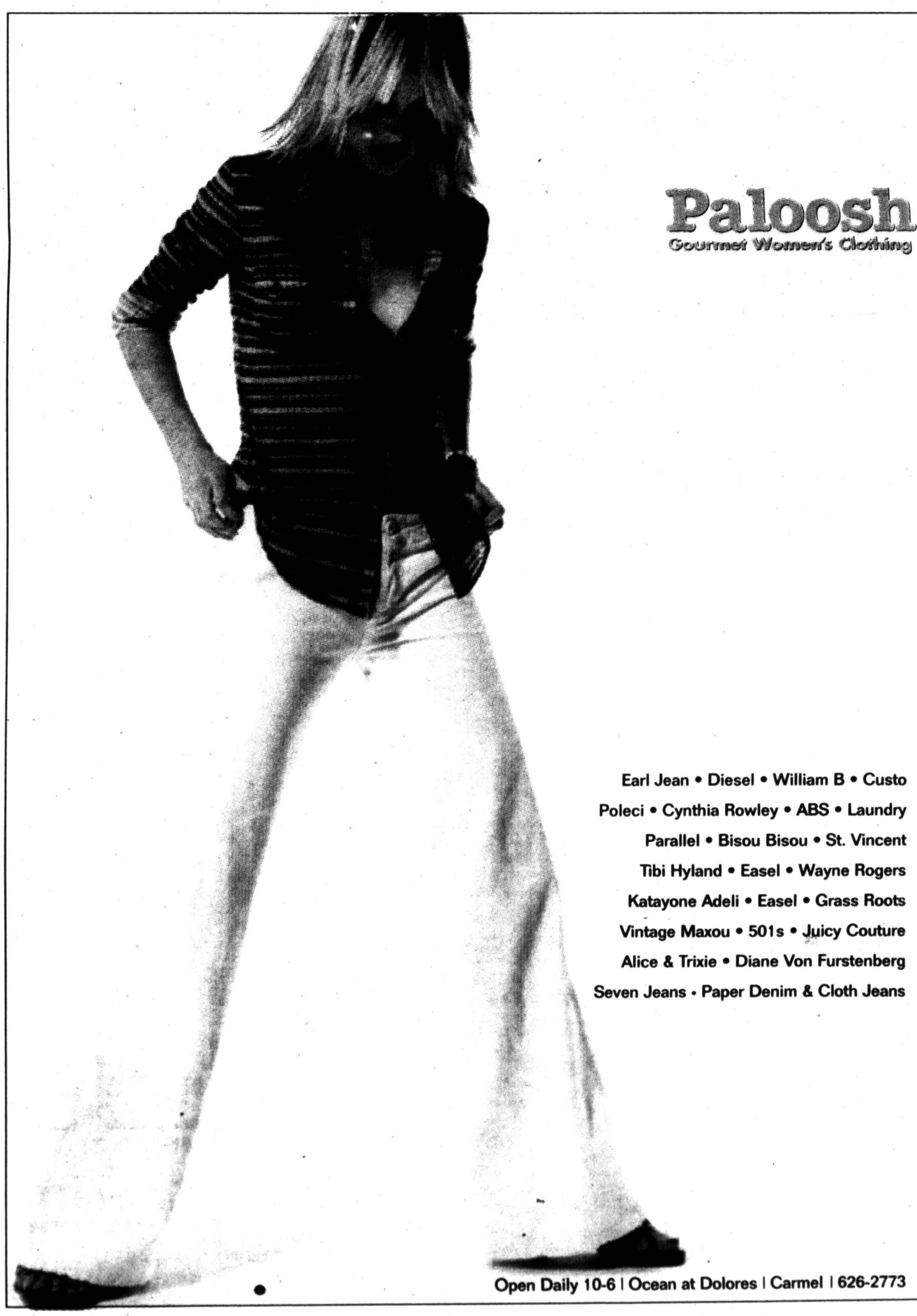
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Police & Sheriff's Log

Fire dancer flees after flames escape

HERE'S A look at some of the significant calls logged by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Police Department and the Monterey County Sheriff's Department last week.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle parked near the center island of Junipero and Sixth with registration expired since 07/02/01. Vehicle towed and stored by Carmel Chevron.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of damage to a Lexus possibly caused by a Ford utility vehicle in the Bayview Inn parking lot. Damage to Lexus did not include a paint transfer from the Ford, though the dent could have been caused by the left front driver's door of the Ford. This was supposition. No independent witnesses to the accident. Both parties exchanged information.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Mission Street resident reported an unwanted male subject knocking on the front door to her townhouse unit. He was gone on officer's arrival. He was later contacted on Dolores and said he was attempting to forward a billing notice for a post office box rental fee. He was admonished concerning this situation. He stated he would comply. Message left on resident's answering machine and Sgt. notified of the outcome.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of an obscene phone call received regarding the sexual assault of their daughter. The caller was identified via caller I.D. Parents contacted and they informed police their daughter was fine.

Big Sur: A San Jose resident reported dropping off his father, a 72-year-old Mexico resident, at the end of Cone Peak Road on 07/21/02. He was going to hike alone to Big Creek Bridge over a two-week period. The son became concerned when the father failed to meet him on 08/10/02 around 1500 hours. He reported this to state parks. Before any action was taken, a camper reported a person stranded at the top of Limekiln Falls. A deputy from the sheriff's department was lowered from the CHP helo and the father was hoisted from the top of the falls. He was uninjured and advised he had been there for three days after taking the wrong trail in the forest.

Carmel area: Female reported her organizer was missing in Point Lobos.

Carmel area: Female reported she lost her cell phone at Highway 1 and Rio Road.

Carmel Valley: Del Mesa Carmel resident accidentally left a pot cooking on the stove. The smoke from the pot filled the apartment. No one injured.

Pebble Beach: Sombria Lane resident complained of a barking dog.

MONDAY, AUGUST 12

Carmel-by-the-Sea: 1988 Chevy Blazer containing assorted clothes and miscellaneous garbage towed from Sixth and Lincoln for registration expired more than six months. Stored by Carmel Chevron.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Driver stopped at Junipero and Eighth for non-operational brake lamps and found to be unlicensed. Driver cited. Vehicle towed and stored.

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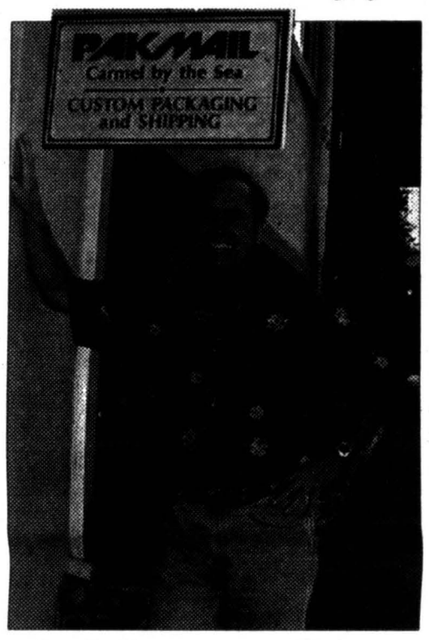

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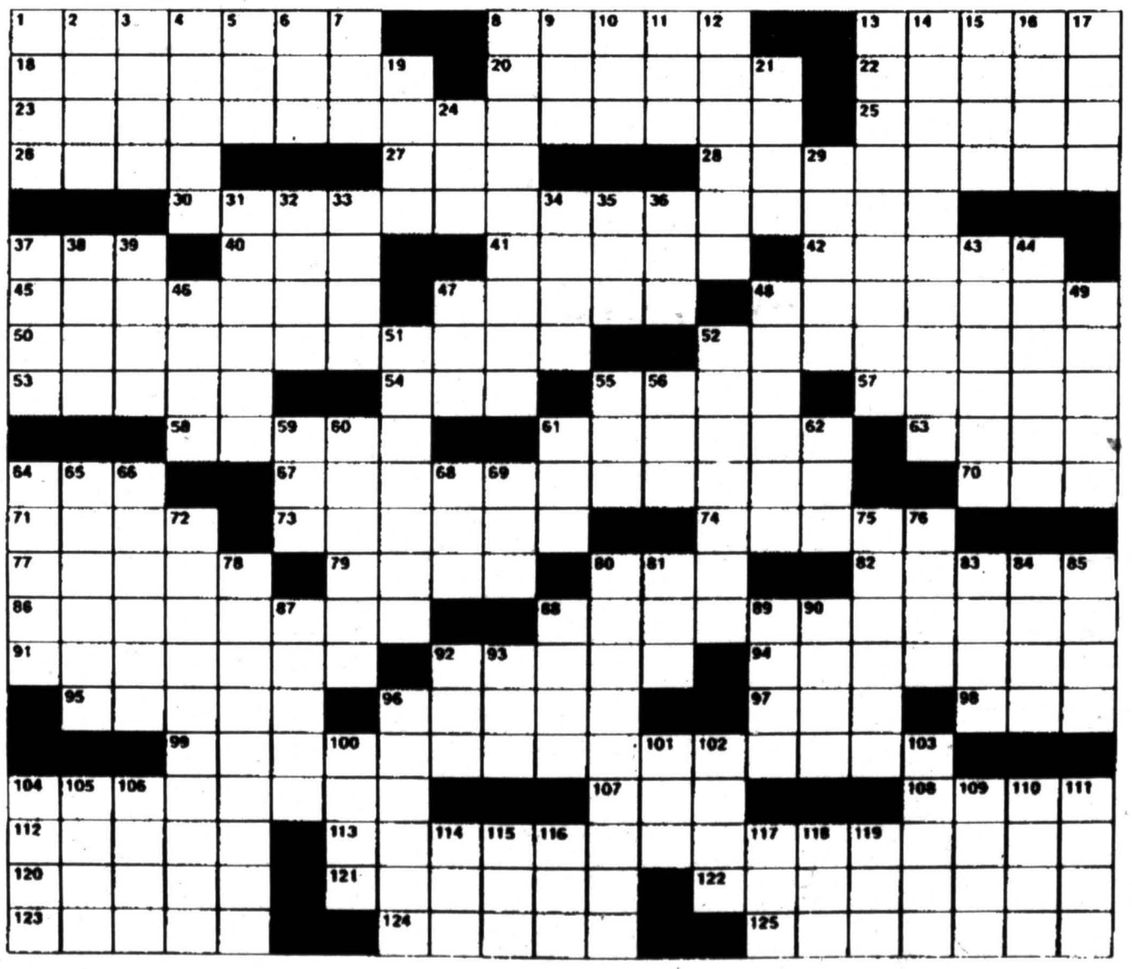

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Truck brings huge limb down on parked cars

By MARY BROWNFIELD

THE DRIVER of a Ledyard delivery truck clipped a Monterey pine overhanging Dolores Street Aug. 20, bringing a large limb down on top of two parked Honda Civics.

PHOTO/MARY BROWNFIELD

A large Monterey pine limb came crashing down on top of a Honda Civic this week after a delivery truck struck the tree.

The branch, about 1 foot in diameter and 30 to 40 feet long, left small dents and scratches on both cars and caused moderate damage to the roof of one, according to Carmel Police Officer Mel Mukai.

Driver Matthew Kannely, aged 23, was heading south on Dolores Street on his way to Mission Ranch when he hit the branch, according to police. He was not on the prescribed truck route, which runs along San Carlos Street, but told police he had driven down Dolores many times before without incident, according to Mukai.

"He thought he had clearance. He had negotiated it before but drove too far to the right, and the right top corner of the trailer clipped the branch," Mukai said.

After interviewing Kannely, Mukai and officer Buck Melton sent the driver on his way. They were unable to contact the owners of the blue and silver Honda Civics, but said both live on the Monterey Peninsula.

The silver car had to be towed so that Carmel Forest and Beach workers could remove the limb and clean up the mess, according to Mukai. The victim pine is growing on city property in front of All Saints Church.

According to Melton, Kannely will not be cited for the traffic accident.

PHONY GRANT GRABS COPS' ATTENTION

A MAN calling himself Nik Walser passed a phony fifty dollar bill at Carmel Laundry last weekend, prompting the Carmel Business Association to warn its members to be on the lookout for counterfeit cash. According to Carmel Police Officer Mel Mukai, the fake $50 contained no transparent security ribbon or hologram of the Ulysses S. Grant, the 18th President of the United States. The 1999-series bill's serial number was AE81262867A.

The suspect who used the fake bill was described as a white male adult, 5 feet 10 inches in height, with short dark brown hair, a medium build and round wire-rim glasses.

No other businesses or banks in Carmel-by-the-Sea reported receiving fake bills, but the Monterey County Sheriff's Department reported a white male adult used a counterfeit $50 bill at a Crossroads shop.

Mukai advised people to keep an eye out for suspicious bills, which tend to surface when stores are at their busiest.

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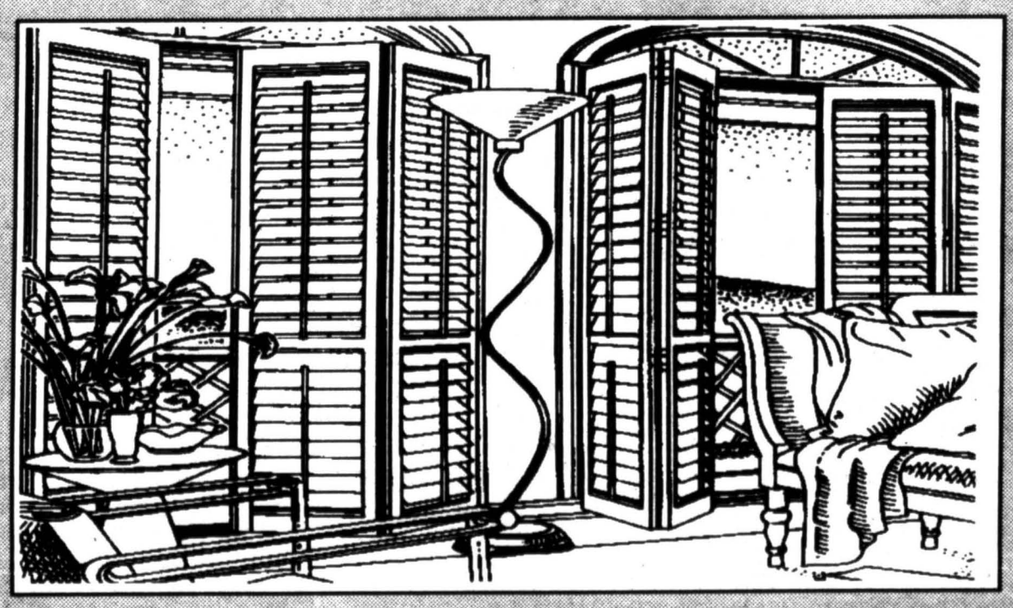

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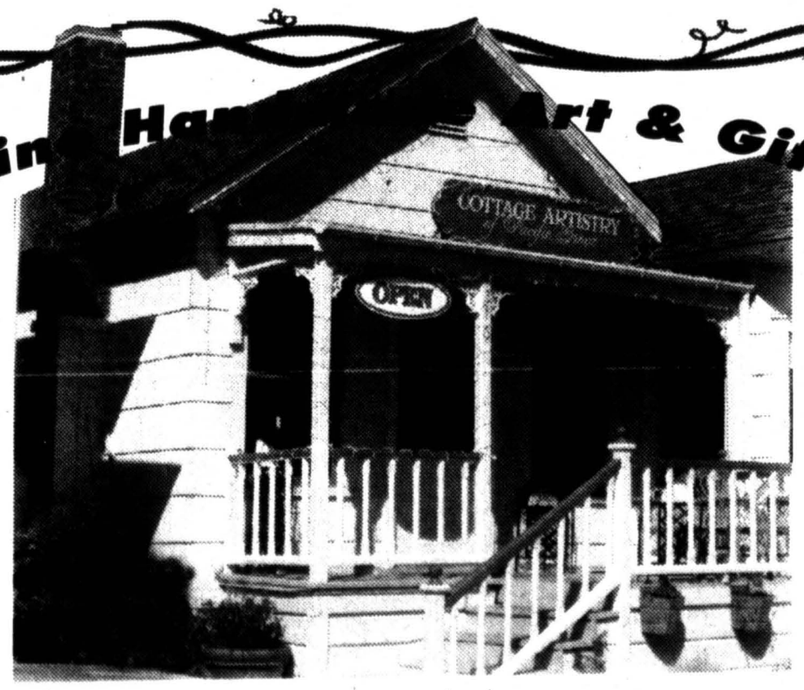

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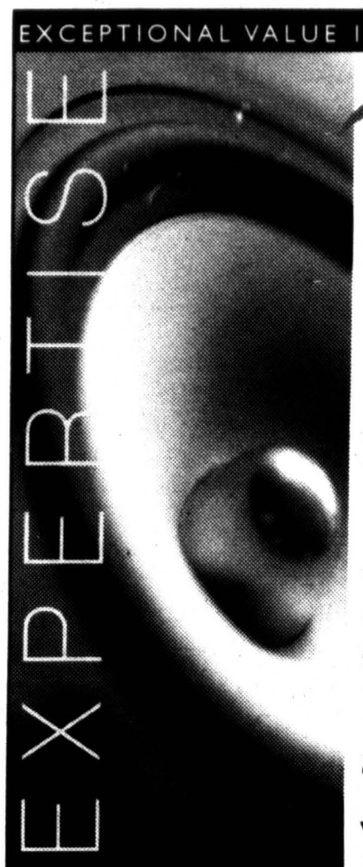

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Carmelite recognized for civil rights work

By MARY BROWNFIELD

CARMEL RESIDENT Don Edwards — a former U.S. Congressman from San Jose who served for more than three decades and was chairman of the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights for most of those years — received the American Bar Association's Thurgood Marshall Award at a Washington, D.C., ceremony this month.

U.S. District Court Judge Abner Mikva nominated Edwards for the award, which was first given to U.S. Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall in 1992 to recognize long-term contributions to civil rights, civil liberties and human rights in the United States.

"I worked very hard for women's rights and rights of minorities, and when the award came along, I was very pleased." Edwards said from his part-time home in Maryland.

A San Jose native who now spends half the year in Carmel, Edwards, 87, graduated from Stanford Law School and served as an FBI agent in 1940-41 before becoming a Naval intelligence officer and a gunnery officer during World War II.

"I'm an old-timer not only in San Jose and Carmel but in D.C., having been there since I was elected in '62, so I have deep roots in several places," said Edwards. A Democrat, he served in the U.S. House of Representatives continuously until he retired in 1994.

Edwards, an avid golfer who grew up spending much time on the Monterey Peninsula, played annually in the amateur championship in Pebble Beach and with his partner won Bing Crosby's pro-am in 1950.

"I have a deep love for the Carmel area, but life in Washington was rather frenetic and terribly interesting," he said. "We were in the majority the whole time and that was fun. I'm not at all sure I'd like it now with the Republicans in control."

He may be retired, but Edwards keeps abreast of politics. In his acceptance speech, Edwards told the 500 guests at the Aug. 10 award dinner that he is concerned President Bush's administration is eroding civil rights.

"This happens in our country with some regularity when there's a period of fear," he said. "We got [Senator Joseph] McCarthy and the House Un-American Activities Committee with communism, and after the Revolutionary War we got the Alien and Sedition Bills.

"And then people who disagree strongly have to go to work and get rid of them."

He claimed new anti-terrorism policies encourage Americans to spy on each other and turn in their neighbors to the FBI.

"We have to work in a cooperative way in this war on terrorism," he said.

Edwards particularly enjoyed being surrounded by his former staff at the award dinner.

"I got a chance to see a lot of my old friends — about 30 or 40 men and women and their kids," he said.

Edwards and his wife, Edith Wilke Edwards, have been married more than 20 years and own a home on Casanova Street, which they share with a cockapoo named Sophie and a cat named Sebastian. Their pets accompany them coast to coast, flying under their seats.

The retired Congressman spends a lot of time at Harrison Memorial Library, where he often checks out books on tape.

"And then I play some golf — although very badly now — and see friends," he said. "And I worry about our country, but other than that I live a pretty happy life."

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PANTRY

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The Food Bank for Monterey County — which saw demand for its service increase by 20 percent last year — is also in urgent need of food.

The food bank distributed 6 million pounds of food during the last 12 months and relies on donations to keep feeding the hungry. The nonprofit's programs that target children, families and seniors have all been growing by leaps and bounds.

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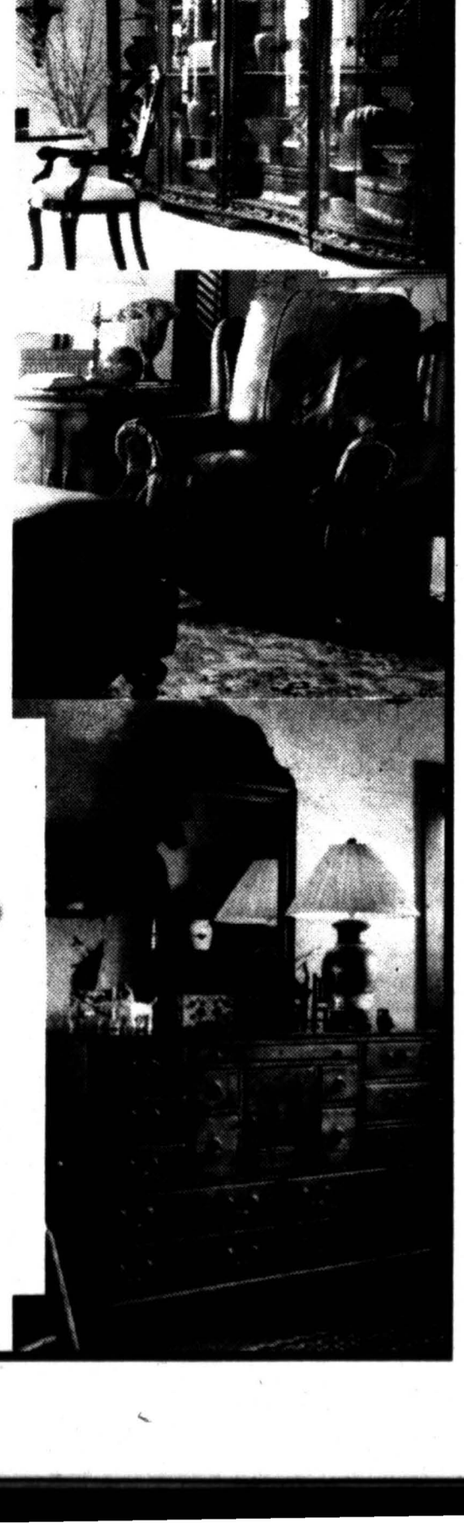

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DONATE AN ARTIFACT TO THE SUNSET TIME CAPSULE

By TAMARA GRIPPI

FORMER STUDENTS, performers and longtime theater devotees with a memento or an artifact from Sunset Center's storied history are being asked to contribute to a time capsule commemorating the renovation of Carmel's historic theater.

A citizens committee will collect bits of the past from people who attended the former grammar school which became Carmel's cultural hub.

Roger Fremier, chairman of the time capsule committee, said his group hopes to collect a wide variety of items that tell the rich history of the theater: old textbooks, pictures and programs from the school's "Youth Follies" and "Christmas Capers," to programs or newspaper articles about any of the professional performances held there once it became the town's cultural center.

"We're very open as to what might go into it," Fremier said, encouraging people to contribute their letters that may include descriptions of life at Sunset Center. Those letters can be copied so people don't have to give up their originals.

Sunset Center, which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places, was built in 1931 as a state-of-the-art elementary school auditorium. It had remarkable style for a public building erected in the middle of the Great Depression.

In addition to the Sunset memorabilia, tidbits of history from the Forest Theater, the Scout House and Vista Lobos are also welcome, Fremier said.

The time capsule committee — which includes city councilman Dick Ely, Pat Sippel, and Sunset director Brian Donoghue — hopes the capsule will be buried somewhere on the Sunset site for the next 30 years.

PHOTO/PAUL MILLER

This week, workers at the Sunset Center renovation project continued putting plywood sheathing on the auditorium's roof — a critical step before winter rains come. The city is collecting memorabilia for a time capsule to be buried next May when the center is rededicated.

Then, in 2033, future Carmelites will open the vessel from the past and possibly add a few more mementoes from the 21st Century before burying it again.

The aluminum capsule is identical to one buried at the turn of the millennium at First Murphy House. Ely, an engineer with more than 30 years of experience designing time capsules, helped Carmel Heritage find the Morgan Hill company, Barrtek, that supplied its time capsule in 1999.

Fremier said he hopes local contributions will cover the cost of the Sunset time capsule.

The aluminum bearer of Sunset's history will be approximately one foot in diameter and three feet long. When the container is sealed, it will be flushed with an inert gas, nitrogen, to force all the oxygen and moisture out.

An aluminum capsule was designed because when the aluminum oxidizes, it will develop an "impenetrable barrier" on the outside of the capsule.

Those interested in submitting a piece of history to the Sunset time capsule should call Brian Donoghue at Sunset Center at 624-3996.

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Carmel Valley

PITCH CANKER

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trees were free of the disease.

■ Pitch canker "hot spots" tend to occur along the more heavily trafficked city streets. "The severely infected trees appear to be located mostly along the major roads, but we still need to test and prove that statistically," Win said.

In addition, Win predicted that the next stage of his research project — to survey Carmel pines west of Junipero — will prove his theory that coastal weather plays a role in the spread of the disease.

"Probably fog is one of the agents that carries the fungus," Win said. "To prove that we need data."

Volunteers have canvassed eastern Carmel, documenting which pines have pitch canker and assessing the level of infection as initial, moderate or severe.

Then two of Win's students, Tamara Hartzell and Becky McEwen, used global positioning system technology to map the concentration of the disease throughout the eastern part of the city.

Win explained the survey was not comprehensive since his volunteers did not go onto private property and only surveyed pines visible from the road.

Keeping up

While pine pitch canker has certainly taken its toll on the Carmel's urban forest, the city's forestry department has made a concerted effort to replace the dead pines.

During the period from 1999 to 2001 — just after the epidemic had begun to take a heavy toll on the city's pines — the forestry department had to take down 262 pines — 179 of which were infected with the fungus, according to city forester Mike Branson.

In spite of that substantial loss, a city study shows the overall number of Carmel pines on city property only decreased 2 percent from 1981 to 2000, which would indicate the replanting effort has been successful.

However, Branson cautioned that the accuracy of that 20-year study — conducted mostly with the help of high school students — should be taken into account when assessing Carmel's current pine population.

If taken at face value, the study shows the city has done a much better job of keeping up with the ravages of the disease than private homeowners. In contrast to the overall 2 percent decrease of pines on city property, the study shows an overall 10 percent loss of pines on private property during the 20-year period.

A few super trees

Most recently, the city has been fortunate enough to plant 15 young pines that have so far proved to be completely resistant to the disease. Carmel Forester Mike Branson explained that the resistant pines made it through two inoculations of the fungus without showing any symptoms.

The resistant pines were the only survivors of a batch of of 200 saplings inoculated by UC Davis plant pathologist Tom Gordon and the city's forestry staff beginning in 1998.

Originally, the hope was to produce a group of resistant pines which could be cloned to reforest Carmel.

However, now that researchers have learned many infected pines are recovering from the disease, the approach to keeping a healthy pine forest has changed somewhat, Branson said.

"We have seen trees with pitch canker surviving," he said. "It's not so much of a death sentence, so finding an absolutely resistant tree is not as critical as it seemed at the time."

Gordon and his colleagues have even conducted research showing that repeated exposure to the offending fungus actually results in smaller lesions on tree branches.

In response to the good news, the city has become bolder in planting more pines to replace the dying trees. The city recently increased its staff of tree planters. "We're trying keep the numbers up," Branson said.

However, in light of Win's data showing that young pines are the most susceptible to pitch canker, the resistant crop of trees may yet prove to be useful to the city.

■ *Dr. Win is looking for more volunteers to complete the survey of Carmel's pines. If interested, call the Carmel forestry department at 624-3543.*

BID CORRECTION

DUE TO a typographical error in the Aug. 9 Pine Cone, the article entitled "Another bid to save BID" incorrectly stated the amount of money the city council had budgeted for a consultant to research a Carmel business improvement district. The amount of money set aside by the city council last December was $12,800.

HATTON

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bedroom caught fire quickly because — as is true in many older homes — their walls were made of redwood, instead of sheetrock, according to Robertson. The heat shattered windows throughout the house. Flames then burst through the open windows at the front.

After dousing the blaze, firefighters walked through the home mopping up and looking for hot spots, removing old insulation and other burned detritus that could flame up again.

Robertson estimated the damage to the structure at $100,000 with perhaps another $20,000 for the contents of the rooms, although an insurance adjuster will conduct a more thorough investigation.

"Quite a bit was unburned. There was smoke damage throughout the house, which can usually get cleaned up," he said. The resident will only have to patch the hole cut by firefighters as opposed to replacing the entire roof.

Rather than opening the windows when there is smoke, as Lane did, Robertson advised people to minimize the oxygen available to a fire.

"It's better to close the doors [and windows] so if there is a fire it won't spread to different rooms," he said. "Until we can find out where it is, keep it in one place."

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Cancer survivors celebrate life daily, but CHOMP's party takes the cake

By MARY BROWNFIELD

A CELEBRATION of life for cancer survivors should include all the trimmings — like food, music, magic, art, face painting, celebrities and clowns. Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula will have all that — and more — during its seventh annual Cancer Survivors Day Aug. 24. from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Sponsored by the CHOMP Comprehensive Cancer Center, Hospice of the Central Coast and the American Cancer Society, the day will acknowledge and honor cancer survivors and the friends and family who support them.

KION's Hunter Finnell will serve as a charismatic master of ceremonies, CHOMP CEO and President Steven Packer, MD, will greet all with eloquent remarks, and doctors will show off their skills at the grill. Plastic surgeon/jazz maestro David Morwood and his band will supply tunes — and Two for the Show, Doug the Magician and a gaggle of clowns will also appear. Survivors' hand prints, signatures and the number of years they've survived will adorn the Hands of Hope mural and, for those who want to get really crazy, face painters will be at the ready.

"This is an event we look forward to every year, and it's an opportunity for cancer survivors and their families to get together and celebrate their personal and collective victories over cancer," Packer told The Pine Cone. "It typically has a real air of triumph, and gives people an opportunity to give personal messages of hope to their families and the community."

The celebration also heartens those newly diagnosed with the disease.

"They are facing a lot of uncertainty, fear and trepidation," Packer said. "And this allows them to see people who beat cancer 15 to 20 years ago and see there is life after a diagnosis."

Anyone interested in attending should call 625-4753.

POET

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the right volume and speed is very important, Wilson said.

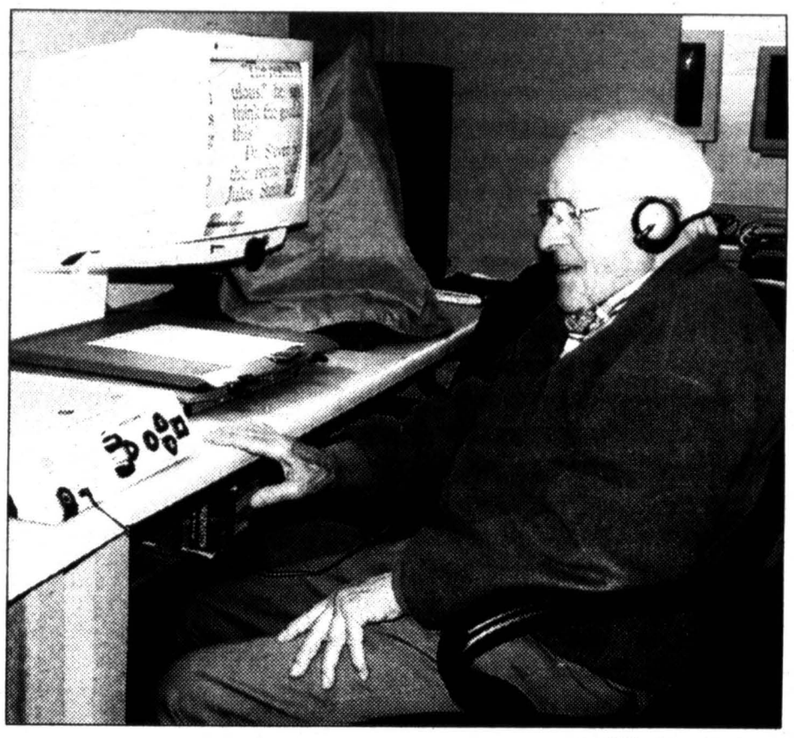
"This is quite a gadget," said retired physician and part-time Pacific Grove resident Thomas Kenter, who dropped by the BVIC this week and was treated to a demonstration of the Poet.

Though Kenter said he hopes his eyesight doesn't ever deteriorate to the point where he'll need the Poet, he's glad it's there for the folks who really need it.

"One lady brings her church bulletin to read," said Wilson. "Though she has friends who can read the bulletin to her, she'd rather spend time talking to them."

Wilson added that she can work with individual clients to set up templates for their monthly bills, to make it easy to find out how much money they owe.

Clients will also be able to save documents on the Poet so they can return to the center for repeated listening.



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P.G. resident Thomas Kenter listens as a state-of-the-art reading machine called the Poet reads a newspaper article to him at the Blind and Visually Impaired Center this week.

The Poet is just one of the services off by the Blind and Visually Impaired Center, which just celebrated its 30th anniversary in Monterey County. Instructors at the center are available to make house calls and assist blind people with everyday needs, such as crossing the street and setting up large button telephones with speed dialing.

If you'd like to come by and check out the Poet, or any of the other nifty tools — including reading screens offering big print — offered at the BVIC, the nonprofit will be hosting an open house from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sept. 21 at 225 Laurel St. in Pacific Grove.

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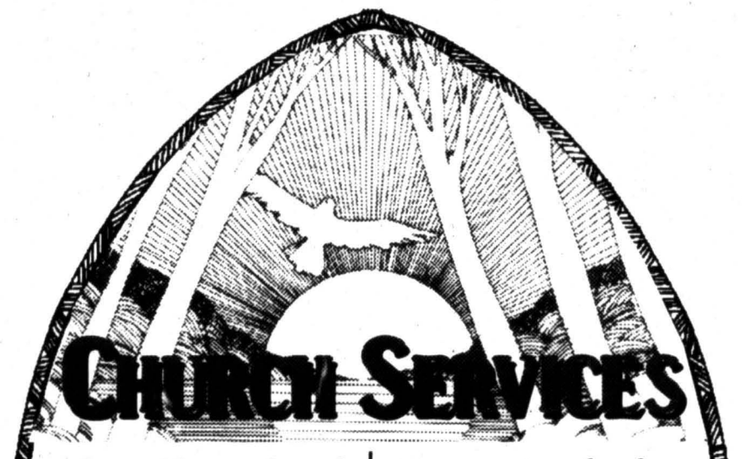

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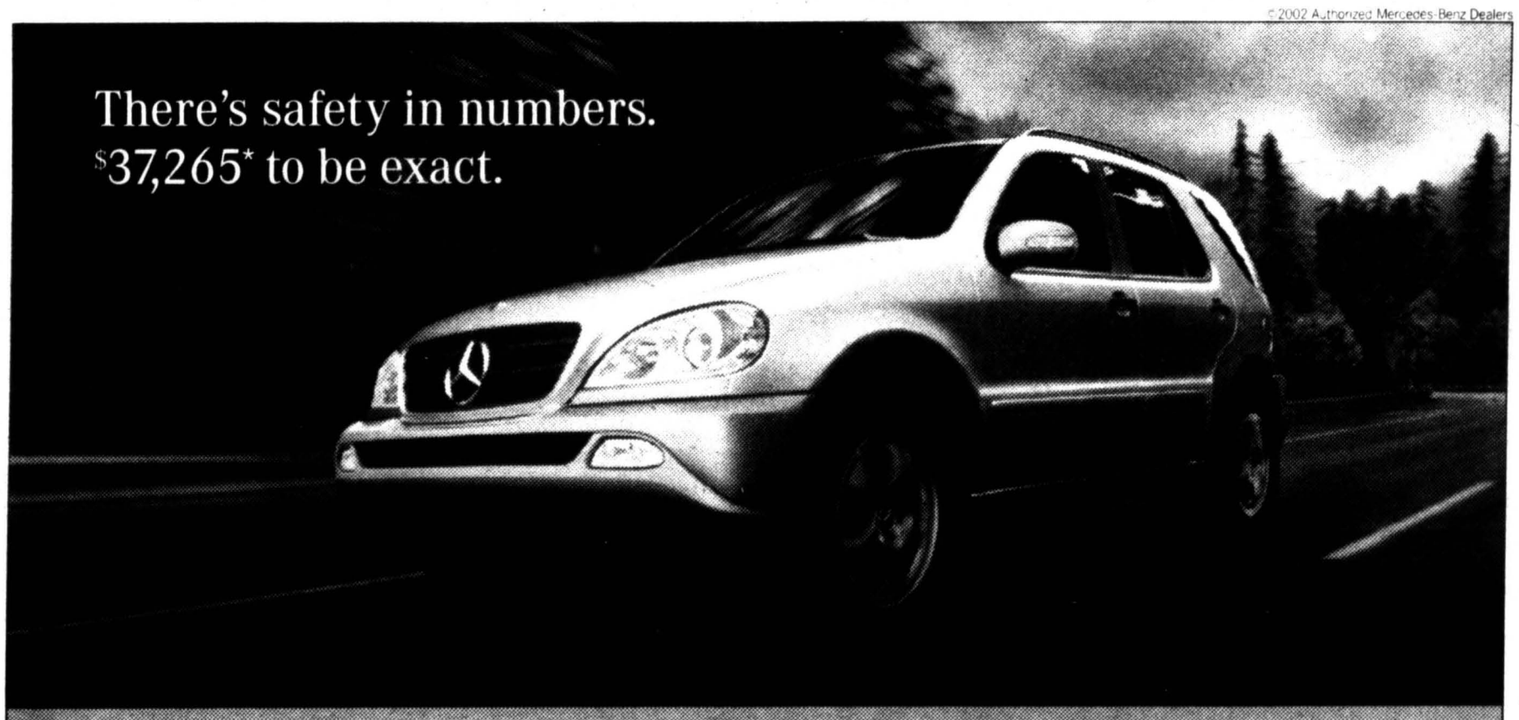

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What $24 million bought for schools

By PAUL MILLER

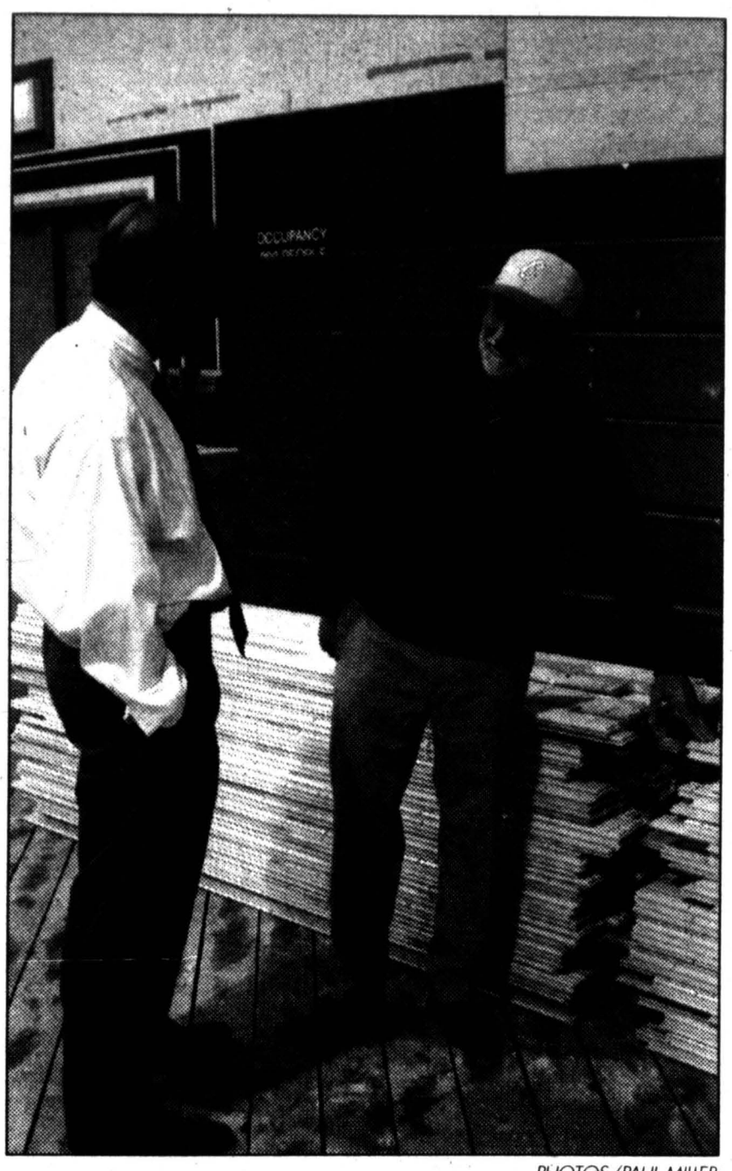
TWO YEARS ago, local schools were plagued with peeling paint, leaky windows and ancient wiring.

But this week, more than 2,000 students returned to Carmel schools to find all sorts of improvements in the classrooms, libraries and gymnasiums — mostly paid for with a $20 million bond passed by voters in May 2000.

"At the high school, the classrooms have new carpet, new lighting and, in many cases, new paint and windows," said Carmel Unified School District superintendent Marvin Biasotti. The library has a new heating system and new lights and "the classrooms also got new 'teaching walls' which have white boards and substantial storage for teachers," Biasotti said.

A new floor in the gym — maple, from a company in Cincinnati — won't be ready until Sept. 20. And when high school students returned to classes Wednesday, workers were still busy trimming doors and putting up moldings.

"The girls volleyball team is practicing at the Carmel Middle School gym for now," Biasotti said. "But the classrooms are finished and the locker rooms are a thing of beauty."



PHOTOS/PAUL MILLER

Principal Karl Pallastrini shows school board member Ernie Lostrom the new flooring for Carmel High's gym. The floor, part of a district-wide, $24 million improvement program, is expected to be installed by Sept. 20.

Besides the high school, all other schools in the CUSD are getting upgrades:

■ Construction is ongoing at Tularcitos School in Carmel Valley, where classrooms are being modernized and the library is being refurbished.

■ At River School, work wrapped up this summer on a program to remodel all the classrooms and the library. The school has been painted, hallways have new floors and new equipment was installed on the playground.

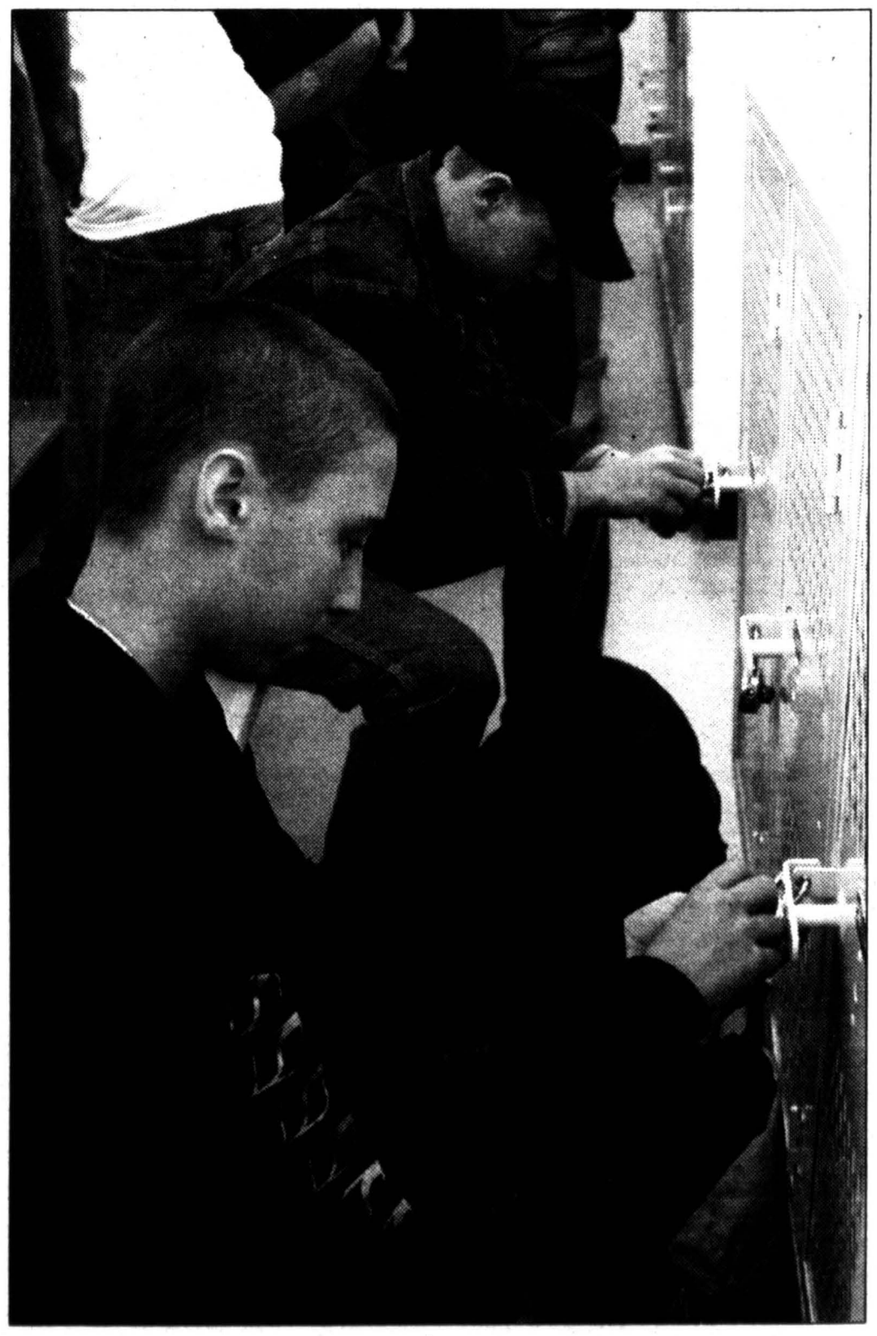
■ Captain Cooper school in Big Sur was refurbished, with all work completed last year.

■ Work is ongoing at Carmel Valley High School.

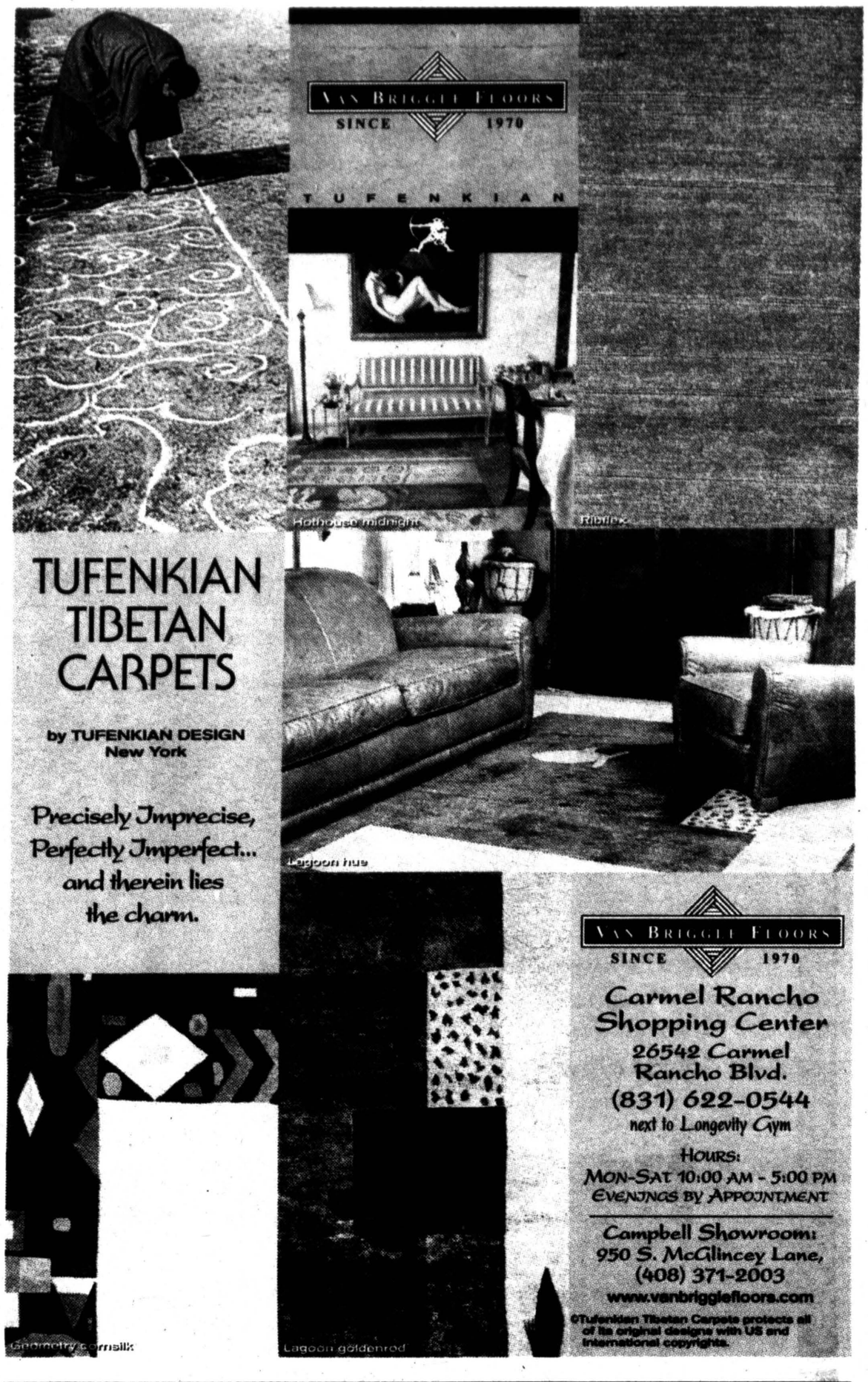
■ Bids are being accepted for improvements at Carmel Middle School, with work slated to get under way in September.

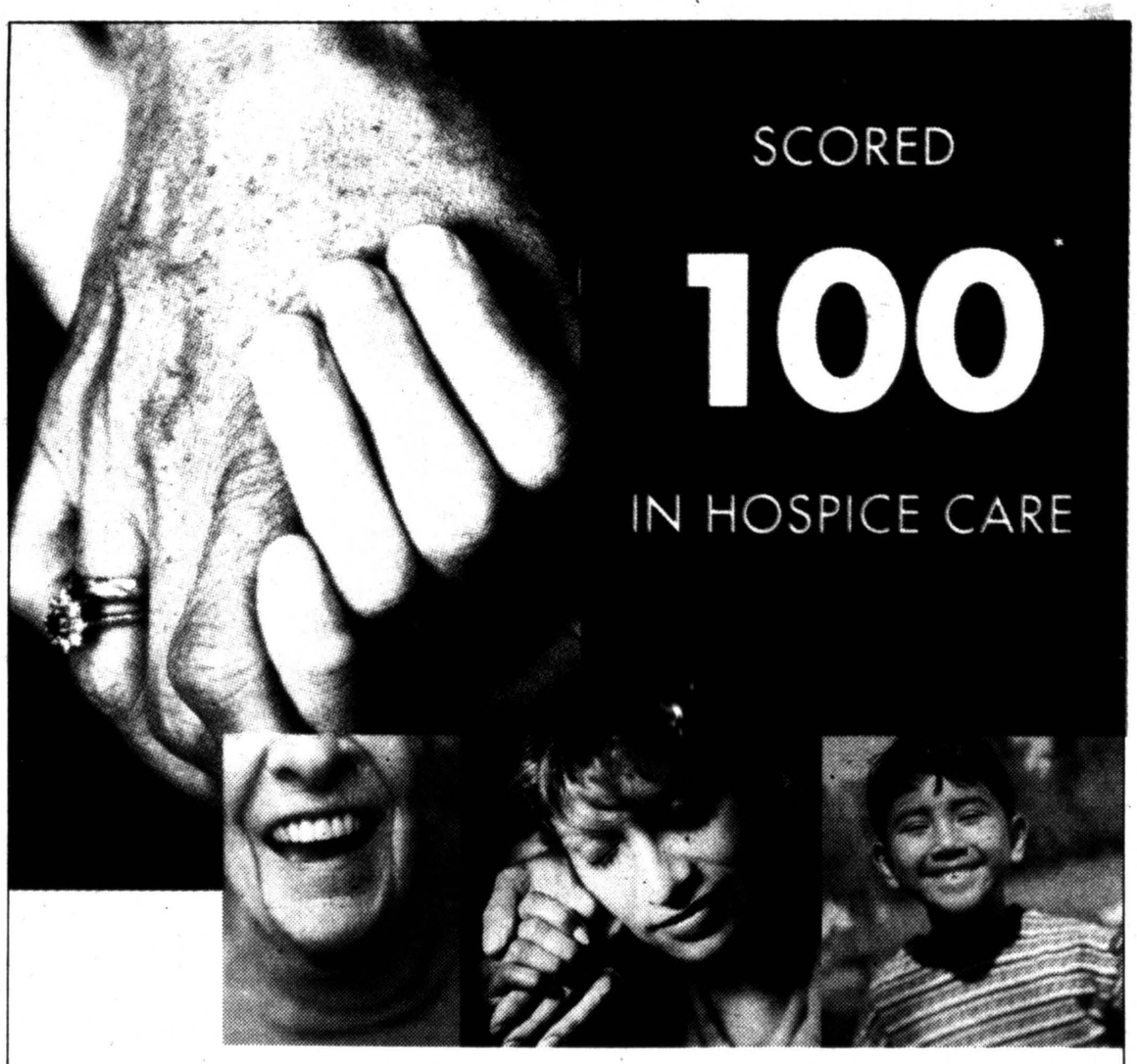
According to Biasotti, the improvements have been done "within budget." The total cost is $24 million, according to school district official Judy Long, with $20 million coming from the voter-approved bond and $4 million from the school district's regular budget.

Enrollment at Carmel schools this year is expected to be 2,220, down slightly from 2,258 students last year, Long said.



On the second day of the school year Andy Knapp (foreground) and Joey Jansen tried out the combinations for the padlocks on their lockers in the shiny, new locker room at Carmel High.

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BERNARD SCHANZ, a local seascape artist, died July 28. He was 69.

Mr. Schanz was born in Cleveland, Ohio and served in the military during the Korean War.

He worked as an assistant to the president of Simic Galleries in Carmel-by-the-Sea. Working in the fine art industry for more than 40 year, Mr. Schanz became acquainted with such celebrity artists as Salvador Dali, Marc Chagall, LeRoy Neiman, Margaret Keane, Red Skelton, Anthony Quinn, Tony Curtis, Walter Lantz and many others.

He is survived by his sister, Marsha Goodman; a son, Mark; a daughter, Debra Gee; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and his friend, Bill Walker.

Donations are suggested to the American Cancer Society.

WILLIAM "BILL" RICAFORT NAVARRETE, 92, died July 31. A native of Agno, the Philippines, he lived in Carmel for four years, coming from Vallejo. He was a chef for many years, last with the Franciscan Restaurant in San Francisco. Mr. Navarrete served in the U.S. Merchant Marines during World War II.

Mr. Navarrete attended Carmel Mission Basilica and was a member of the Philippine Senior Citizens of San Francisco and was a founding member of the Agno Pangasinan Club. An avid gardener, he grew beautiful roses, vegetables and plums which he would share with his neighbors. He also enjoyed cooking and barbecuing for his family and friends.

Survivors include his wife, Annie of Carmel; sons, Ernesto Novelozo and Robert, both of San Francisco; daughters Diana Novelozo of Benicia, Bernadette Novelozo of Alameda and Roxanne Fuhrman of Washington, D.C.; two sisters; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his son, Percival Novelozo.

MARIAN ADAMS BRYN-JONES, 101, died Aug. 1 at her Carmel Valley home.

Born in Minnesota, she graduated from Carleton College in her home state. Mrs. Bryn-Jones taught high school for five years. She then trained in library science at Columbia University and the University of Michigan, after which she was appointed librarian at Albion College in Michigan. After several years there, she returned to Carleton College as librarian where she met her husband, David Bryn-Jones, a Carleton professor.

Shortly after their marriage, the couple left for Tokyo, where they were involved in opening the International Christian University. After several years there, they travelled to Australia and New Zealand before returning to the United States. They left Minnesota to make their home in Saratoga, and after more extensive worldwide traveling, they retired to Carmel Valley Manor.

Mrs. Bryn-Jones is survived by her cousin, Harriet White of Minnesota, and a niece, Elaine Grammer of Florida.

Contributions are suggested to the donor's favorite charity.

JERRY DWIGHT SPICHER of Carmel died Aug. 7 at age 64.

A native of Leavenworth, Kan., Mr. Spicher made his home on the Monterey Peninsula since 1959. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1957 to 1961, and then worked for the Fleet Numerical Oceanographic Center, retiring as a computer specialist in 1992 with 35 years in civil service.

A member of the Carmel Mission Basilica parish, he was also a fourth degree member of the Knights of Columbus. An avid outdoorsman, Mr. Spicher enjoyed hunting, fishing and camping, and was a skilled woodworker. He belonged to the Monterey Bay Equestrians and was a very active volunteer with both the Monterey County Parks system and Monterey Regional Parks.

He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Caroline of Carmel; a son, Dwight of Livermore; daughter Trisha Hatfield of Carmel; six grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Memorials are suggested to the Community Hospital Comprehensive Cancer Center.

MARGUERITE "MAGGIE" M. HARDIES, 76, died Aug. 9 at her Carmel home. A native of Chicago, she moved to Carmel from Lake Forest, Ill., in 1980.

Mrs. Hardies was a member of both Carmel Mission Basilica and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church. An avid golfer, she was a very active member of the woman's golf group at Quail Lodge and she organized and ran many of the fundraising events there.

She is survived by her daughters, Deb Wells of Florida, Patty Lavin of Seattle, Wash., and Maureen "Moe" Webb of Sacramento; stepdaughters Diane Jacobson of Chicago and Mary Beals of Colorado; six grandchildren and two great-

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Sandy Claws

by Margot Petit Nickols

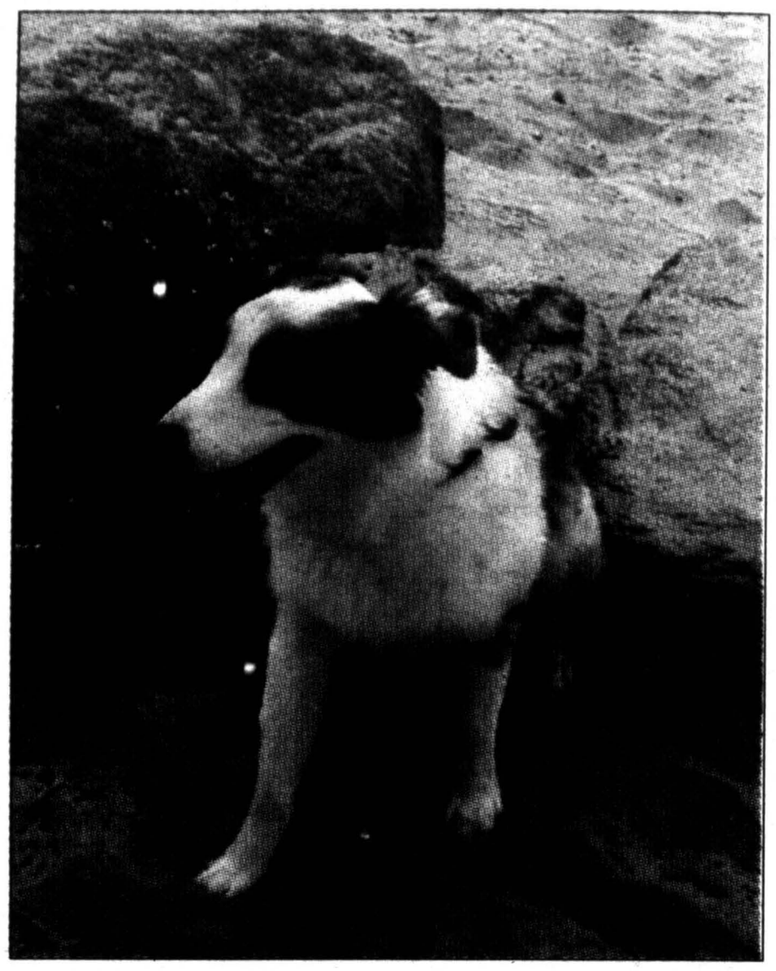
GRAYCEE BARRETT, 1, a blue merle Australian shepherd, loves spending her summers in Carmel-by-the-Sea: Her home in Palm Springs has absolutely no ocean, and it's just sun, sun, boring old sun from morning 'till night.

Here on the cool, overcast beach she has daily races with the Levett Italian greyhound trio and plays with Tibetan terrier Molly Flamme, who likes to go in for a dip while Graycee watches. Sometimes Graycee gets in a little herding practice if there are small children playing at water's edge.

One of Graycee's eyes is brown and the other half brown and half blue, while her lovely coat, described as blue merle, is generally four colors: White, black, gray and reddish brown. Thursday morning she was sporting a fifth color, a smudge of lavender blue on one hip – a little souvenir from Mom Sue's oil painting which Graycee had brushed against that morning.

Graycee is learning guarding and patience while Mom engages in a three to four-hour session of plein air painting daily. Her reward is a long run on Carmel Beach from one end to the other once the painting session ends.

At home in their Carmel summer rental, Graycee



never tires of exploring the back garden, which is kept in beautiful order by a gardener. It's a mystery where she found the four tennis balls, a shingle, a paint spray cap, and several ancient dog bones she has proudly carried into the house.

And when company comes over, Graycee's favorite socializing gesture is to delve into the dirty laundry pile and bring out various towels, sweaters and even tennis shoes for a little show and tell.

Graycee is planning a surprise for her Dad Miles when he gets home this week from surfing off the island of Tabarue. She intends to greet him with a copy of The Carmel Pine Cone.

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grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Melvin, in 1994.

Memorials are suggested to the American Lung Association, or Food Bank for Monterey County, or the Northern California Arthritis Foundation, or the Boys and Girls Club.

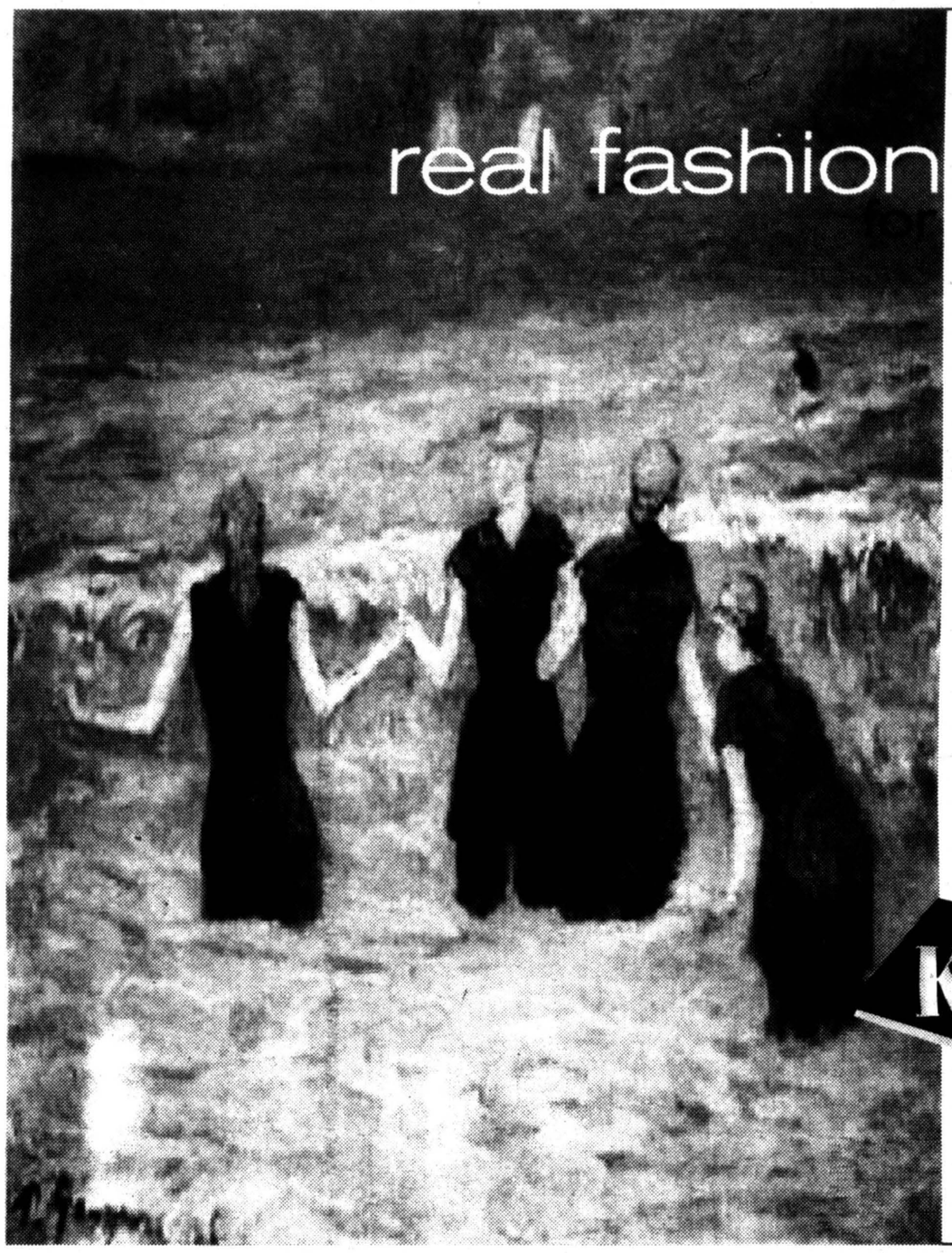
GORDON L. HEWSON, a 15-year resident of Carmel, died Aug. 18. He was 80.

A native of Sacramento, Mr. Hewson received his B.A. degree from UCLA in 1943 and then served as a captain in the U.S. Army from 1943 to 1945.

Following his military service, he was president of the Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. in Los Angeles. He later served as president of the Fresno Convention Center and moved to Lake Tahoe in 1960, managing Harvey's Resort Hotel and Casino and Del Webb Sahara Hotel and Casino. Following retirement, he planned group tours and developed and marketed land in Nevada.

He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Evelyn of Carmel; sons William of Ireland and Gordon of Auburn; daughter Christine of Catalina Island; stepchildren William Wolpert of Petaluma and Jeff Wolpert of Fresno and Vicky Duke of Salinas; nine grandchildren, four stepgrandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Memorials are suggested to the Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula Cardiac Care Wing.



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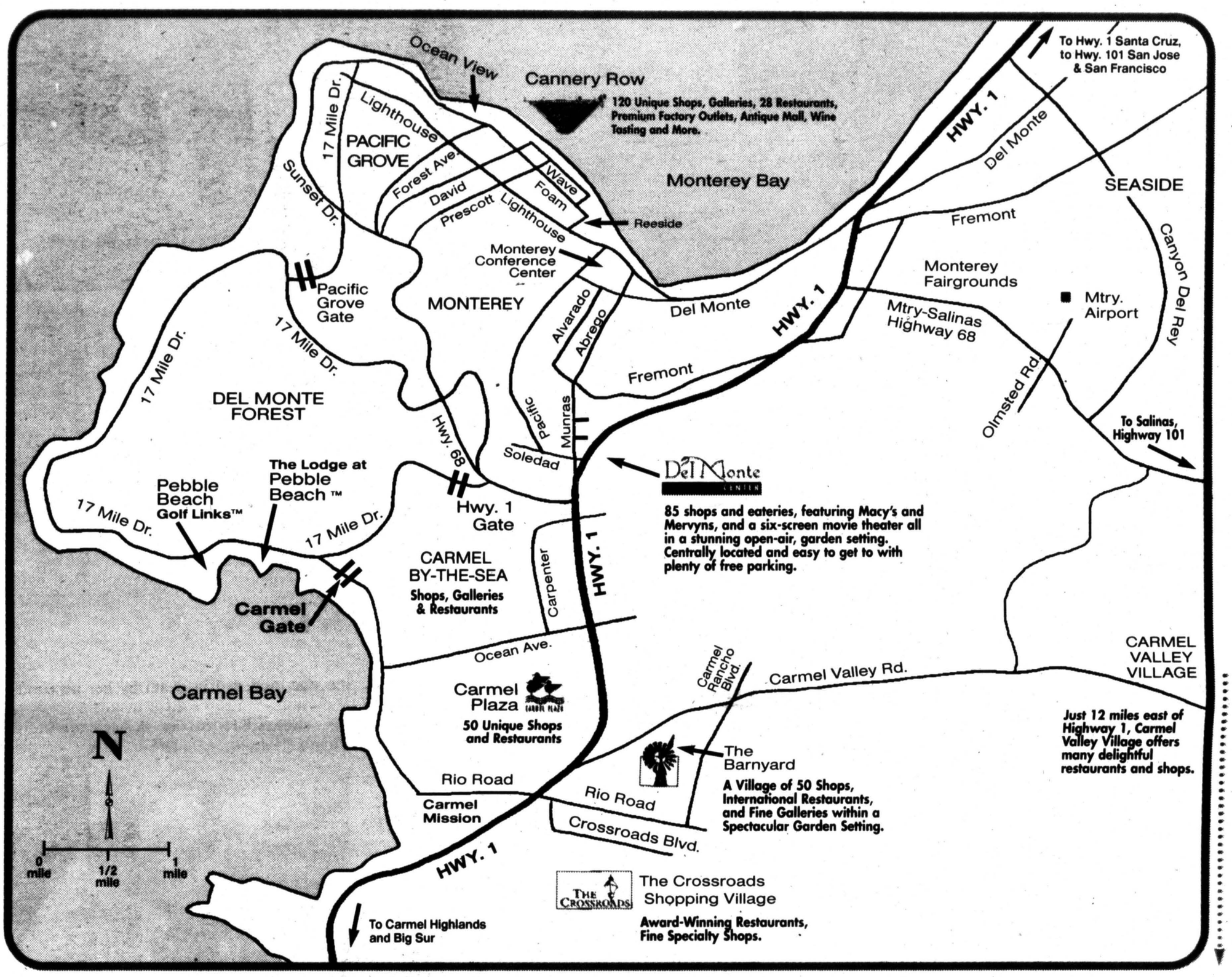

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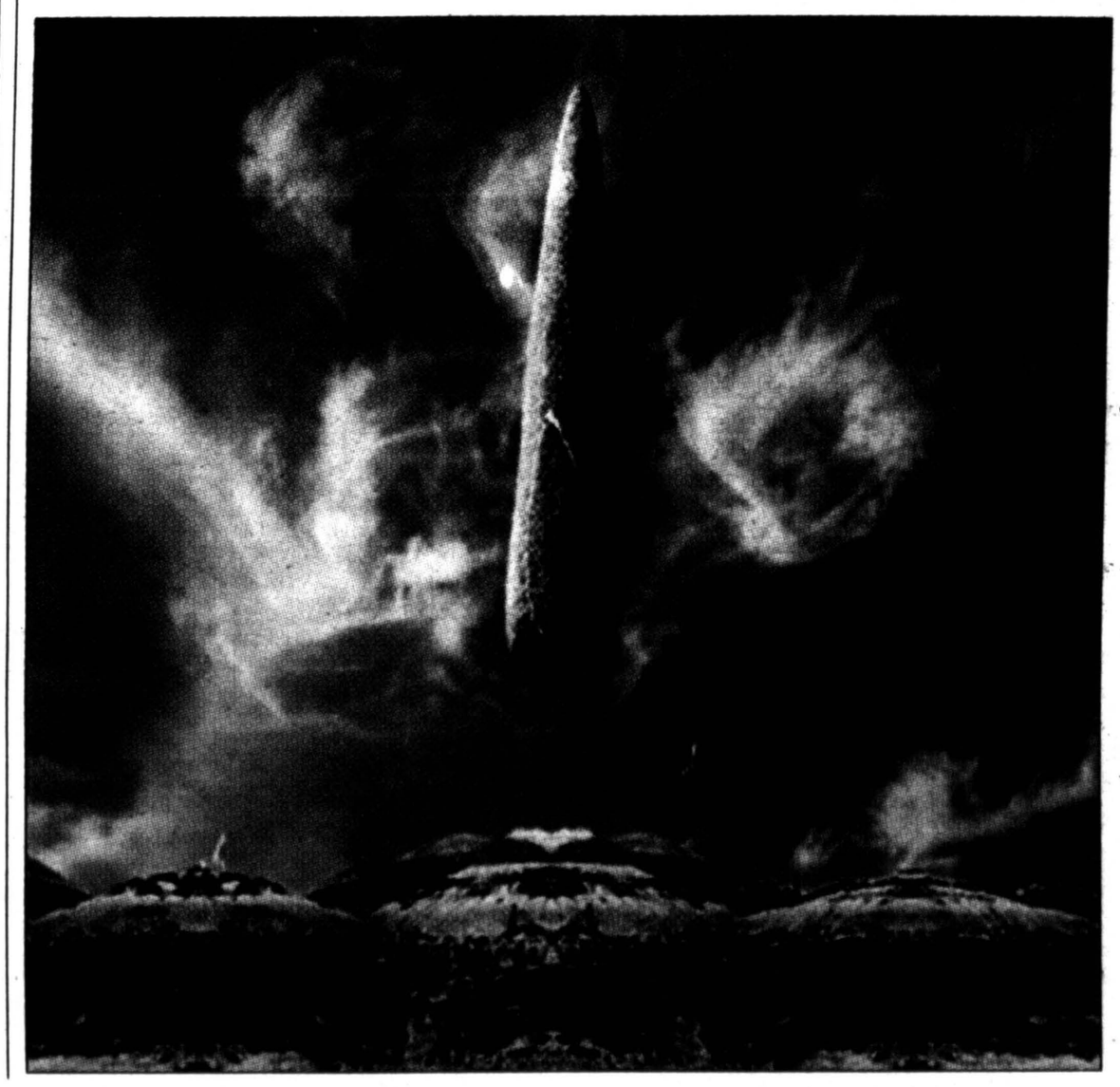
MASTER LENSMAN

Images by photographer John Paul Caponigro will be displayed at Highlands Inn, Park Hyatt, Carmel. "Reflections," is presented in conjunction with a digital seminar by Carmel Photographic Workshops and Exhibitions. It bows with a reception for the artist from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 29 in the Fireside Lounge. Caponigro is the author of "Adobe Photoshop Master Class: John Paul Caponigro." An artist's slide presentation is set for 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 31 in the Surf Room, sponsored by Canon. Caponigro's seminar, "Digital Discoveries; the Evolving Process" is set for 6 to 9 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 31 in the Surf Room, for which there is a $185 fee. For enrollment in the seminar, or for information, call Michael Spencer at 455-2808.



Musical 'Oliver!' opens!

PHOTO/MARK FELDSTEIN

WHAT: Pacific Repertory Theatre stages "Oliver!," featuring Fagin (Michael Jacobs), surrounded by the street kids he's trained — clockwise from top left: Brooke Bowhay, Jor-el Vaasborg, Aaron Kanak, Daniel Kanak and Lana Richards.
WHEN: Preview 7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 23; opening 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 24. Shows continue 7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 25 and 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 29.
WHERE: Outdoor Forest Theater, Mountain View and Santa Rita, Carmel
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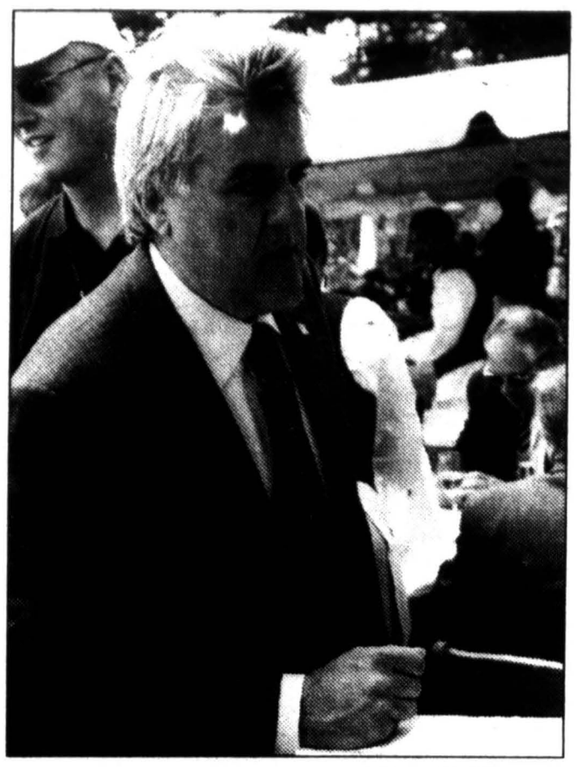
Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance pours on glamour

PEBBLE BEACH'S Concours d'Elegance makes dreams come true — for classic car owners who feel the most prestigiously rewarded just by participating, and for spectators who can stand just inches away from the most spectacular automotive designs ever built . . . With **Mercedes-Benz** launching their $300,000 Maybach model, and taking over the best spots in the Pebble Beach Lodge — for watching the show — our local dealer, **Bill Stahl**, with his gorgeous wife **Laura**, got to hobnob with **Jay Leno, Edward Herrmann** and the likes . . . With his mother, **Merry Stephan**, and his daughters **Merry** and **Katherine** present, the late **John Chadwell** was honored for his dedication to Pebble Beach . . . Other locals seen: **Frank & Carolyne Geisler, Darnell Whitt**, a very proud **Norma Jean Hodges** with grandson **Gregory Shabram, Ollie & Ronnie Nutt, Csaba Ajan, Denny & Karen LeVett**, and Pebble Beach Foundation board member **Mary Kay Higgins** & hubby **Ward Crockett**.



PHOTOS/SISSI MALEKI

Car collector/comedian Jay Leno is a very familiar face at the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance.

■ Christie's Preview Reception always a top event

Christie's glittering auction preview reception pulled the usual glamorous crowd . . .

Kathleen Benoit chatted with **Scott Stephens** whose dad, **Dick,** owns the SF Academy of Art, was bidding on a '29 Packard to add to his collection . . . **Joyce Kapp**, her sister **Felize Garvin**, an artist, and **Susan Swan** hung out with the very cool Rolls Royce/Bentley Concours judge, **Diane Johnesse** — who also rides a Harley and still recalls the time a Hell's Angels chief asked her, "So, who's your old man?" FYI: Diane's been the lone female judge here for 19 years! . . . **Jon Hagstrom** looked great, having gone through a whole fitness regime . . . **Artie Early**, with hubby **Lee**, was still bubbling with excitement after winning a big raffle prize for the first time in her life at the fashion show earlier . . . **Dixie Smith** chatted with former local **Dr. Patric Faverty**, who moved to Thousand Oaks after our fog got to him . . . **Betsey & Harry Hathaway** are patrons of the oldest automotive design school, the Art Center College of Pasadena, whose prez, **Richard Kochalek**, with wife **Betty** was also there . . . Others seen: **Kris Cromwell, Peter Blackstock, Lois Marshall, Anita Sabinske**, whose mom just bought a house here, and **Carole Dooley** with granddaughter **Kelly Prescott**, 16.

Model Rachel Hunter was the gorgeous star emceeing this year's LEXUStyle-Saks Fifth Avenue fashion show.

■ Lexus/Saks Fashion Show's glamour

The big star nabbed for this year's **LEXUStyle in the Fast Lane-Saks Fifth Avenue** fashion show was former model (and singer Rod Stewart's ex) **Rachel Hunter** — who still looked more than good enough for a Vogue cover . . . This was also departing SFA general manager **Catherine Bartel's** last hurrah before leaving for the East Coast at the end of the day . . . Birthday girl **Kathie Kandler** hung out with **Carol & Tad Church, Lynn Bohnen**, and United Way's **Mary Adams** . . . **Ramona & Fred Bohlander** are working with an architect for their new property at Rancho San Carlos . . . New Friends of Sunset prez **Dottie Bradbury** caught up with **John & Susan Jenkins** . . . **Liz Coffey** brought computer whiz son **Sean** . . . **Larry & Jean Horan** just had their 11th grandchild . . . PortaBella restaurant's **Csaba Ajan**, bringing **Marian Hawthorne** and an old German friend's son, **Maximilian Broermann**, had driven his '48 Plymouth over . . . **Diane Mall** brought **Robbin Baumbach** and **Sue Lamoureux** . . . Jeweler **Kirkor Kocek** caught up with **Cecile Smith, Pat Young,** and **Desirée Gillingham** — whom he dated 28 years ago when he was 23 and she, 18. Others seen: Ventana's **Sal Abaunza, Ralph & Twyla Thompson, Carol & Don Hilburn, Pam Holman, Joyce Dodd, Judith Wolfe-Wasko, Elizabeth Cantu, Deanna Dickman, Mary Jo Trivers, Marilee Nelson** with sister **Roberta Sinotte** and niece **Eba** ("14 going on 24!") . . .

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. . . And, by the way . . .

Pine Needles

By Sissi Maleki

SOME DAYS it just doesn't pay to get out of bed.

That's what the luxury car company executive must've thought as her presentation continued to seem jinxed.

First, it was delayed when her CEO took off on an errand. Not much had probably been left for her manicurist by the time he returned.

Still, a bit of optimism prevailed.

After guests were asked to leave cameras behind, they were escorted into a small, dark tent. There in the center was a sleek, shiny sports car, cordoned off and gleaming in the spotlights like the jewel in a crown.

The oohs and aahs must have gratified the executive as she turned on the video monitors. Which started up with very dramatic music.

And stopped. Only five seconds later.

After a futile attempt at fixing the recalcitrant video system — which had worked fine earlier — she gave up and turned to her notes. At least they wouldn't fail her.

True, but she hadn't counted on mischief from a froufrou columnist a minute later — whose cell phone's ridiculous chime ring suddenly jarred the intentness of all those present and stopped the presentation mid-speech.

What did the executive do after that?

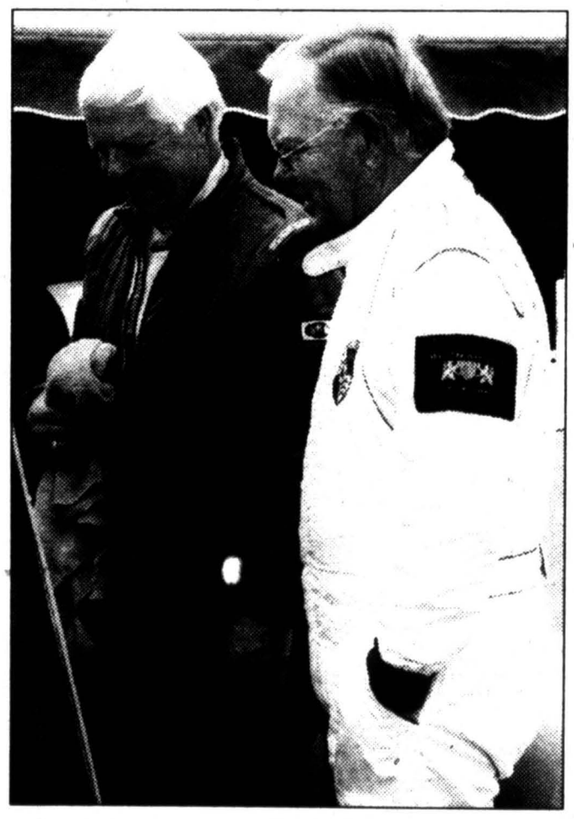
I wouldn't know.

I was too busy hightailing it out of there, having a good sense of self-preservation . . .

Entrepreneur Scott Painter was part of the select group invited to a sneak peek at Bentley Motors' new sports car.

■ Sneak peek at Bentley's spectacular new pride & joy

The perfect setting — a sunny day at Pasadera — showcased the sneak peek reception organized by **Bentley Motors** for its first new sports car, the 550bhp GT Coupe. The car-to-die-for was kept under wraps in a tent until the last minute when the select group of guests was admitted — sans cameras, as the official unveiling isn't until next month . . . In a major shift in image, Bentley came in third in last year's Le Mans, though it recently still provided Queen Elizabeth's ceremonial limousine . . . Aside from Bentley's chairman & CEO **Dr. Franz-Josef Paefgen** & wife **Sigrid**, guests included Carsdirect.com founder **Scott Painter**, who had left wife **Jennifer** & 6-week-old **Luke** back at Spanish Bay, and partner **Jerome Conlan**. They've got a new company manufacturing "a luxury car for the common man," due out early next year . . . FYI: Check out Bentleycollection.com for the COOLEST (and slightly more affordable) stuff around!!!



Dean Watts, owner of the Porsche that retired Grand Prix racecar driver Ben Pon last raced in 1960, invited Pon — Bernardus Lodge & Winery owner – to take it for one more race.

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Gourmet chef firemen of Carmel-by-the-Sea's fire department have rescheduled their annual barbecue at Devendorf Park, Ocean Avenue between Junipero and Mission. It will be held from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 31 and will feature tri-tip, chicken, hot dogs, Polish sausage, sodas and ice cream. Prices will range from $1 to $8. This is a very popular barbecue with locals and tourists alike. Last year, more than 800 attended the al fresco cookout. Firefighters shown in the photo are, left to right, Captain Mitch Kastros, Paramedic Ernest Valdez and Engineer August Beacham.

Frustrated by anti-honky tonk ordinance, Singing Sheriff Pat DuVal leaves Toots

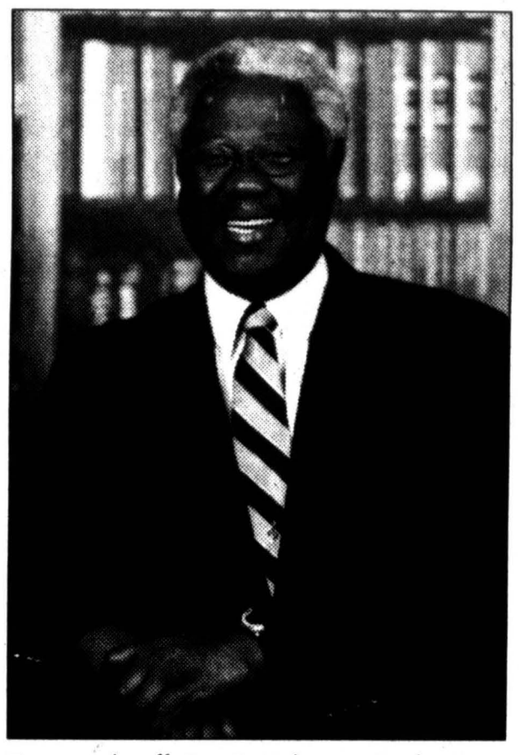
By MARGOT PETIT NICHOLS

IF HE could have done it musically, Pat DuVal would have left The Fabulous Toots Lagoon restaurant singing, "Toots, Toots, Tootsie, Good-Bye."

But music is not allowed in establishments that serve hard liquor in Carmel-by-the-Sea, and so the well-known "Singing Sheriff" just waved so-long to the patrons of the Dolores Street rib and steak house and moseyed off silently into the sunset.

Carmel-by-the-Sea's "Anti-Honky Tonk" ordinance, passed in 1939, drove DuVal away from Toots Lagoon's because ever since he came on board there last May, people kept asking him to sing. The frustration of not being allowed to belt out a number or two finally got to him.

"It was frustrating when people asked me to sing," he told The Pine Cone. "I was a working partner with owner Eddie Johnson — just trying to see if I could boost the business. I came in with a nice menu, and I managed to get 85 to 95 percent local people [in as customers], but we could have done better with music."



Former sheriff Pat DuVal wasn't about to break the law by singing in a Carmel-by-the-Sea rib and steak house.

The Carmel City Ordinance prohibits dancing, entertainment or playing of musical instruments in taprooms. This includes live music, juke boxes, phonographs and singing sheriffs. The late '30s city leaders didn't want music in taprooms presumably because music of any kind, combined with alcohol, can lead to bad things.

"People wanted to sign a petition and suggested that I go to City Hall to fight this thing, but I'm too old," said the musical DuVal, who says he is over 60. "I swore I'd never go into the restaurant business again after leaving Los Laureles Lodge in 1998. Before that, in the late '80s and '90s, I sang in the restaurant where the health club is at Spanish Bay with Steven Tosh as my accompanist. When I sing, I have a full house all the time."

When he left the restaurant business, DuVal began selling real estate with Fouratt-Simmons of Carmel, but was lured back by the culinary siren to join Johnson at Toots Lagoon.

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Food & Wine

Passionfish restaurant team offers insiders' info on seafood

By MARGOT PETIT NICHOLS

PASSIONFISH RESTAURANT owners Ted and Cindy Walter will be featured in two four-hour classes at Monterey Peninsula College as guests in the Great Chef Series.

As featured instructors, the Walters will present two 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday sessions, Sept. 14 and 21. The short course will include tips for becoming a restaurateur, finding your restaurant niché, and marketing the restaurant.

Chef Ted Walter will present information from a chef's perspective and Cindy Walter, as business partner, will present the management and marketing aspects.

A portion of the course will be dedicated to imparting information on sustainable seafood — an issue they are said to be passionate about. Chef Walter will demonstrate one of his seafood recipes, drawing from fish on the sustainable list.

The Monterey Bay Aquarium and Passionfish are in the forefront of the sustainable seafood philosophy, promoting awareness of methods of harvesting seafood and following recommended guidelines for species sustainability.

Cindy Walter is a member of a number of organizations which support sustainable seafood, including the Seafood Choice Alliance, The Chef's Collaborative and the Women Chefs and Restaurateur Association.

Passionfish's ever-changing menu features an array of fresh local seafood that meets the recommended guidelines. The Walters take their message to the public via cooking demonstrations and special presentations, such as the MPC Great Chef series.

Chef Walter trained as a classic French chef before he cultivated his own culinary style which incorporates fresh, organic produce and sustainable seafood in a California style.

Passionfish is located at 701 Lighthouse in Pacific Grove. For further information, call 655-3311.

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Cindy Walter suggests a wine to accompany an entrée prepared by Chef Ted Walter of Passionfish Restaurant, Pacific Grove. They will be featured at Monterey Peninsula College in two Saturday classes in the Hospitality curriculum.

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Food & Wine

Rombauer wines team with Rio Grill dinner for special night out

By MARGOT PETIT NICHOLS

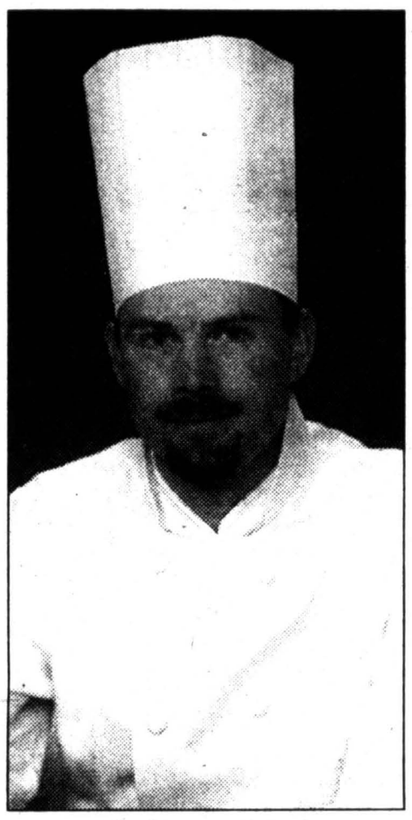
A LAVISH four-course dinner prepared by Executive Chef Sherman Johnson paired with Napa Valley Rombauer wines is slated for 6:30 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 29 at Rio Grill, The Crossroads, Carmel.

Vineyard owner Koerner Rombauer selected the wines to complement the menu which begins with an ahi tartare nacho drizzled with lemon oil and wasabi creme fraîche and paired with a 2000 Rombauer Chardonnay; second course of herbed chèvre tart on baby greens with an heirloom tomato and duck confit relish will be served with a 1999 Rombauer Merlot; and the entrée of filet mignon in a roasted garlic cilantro creme over a Cabernet reduction will be paired with a 1998 Rombauer Cabernet Sauvignon. A dessert of chocolate pistachio pie in a raspberry coulis will be accompanied by a 2000 Rombauer Zinfandel.

Seating is extremely limited for this special dinner, which is $90 per person.

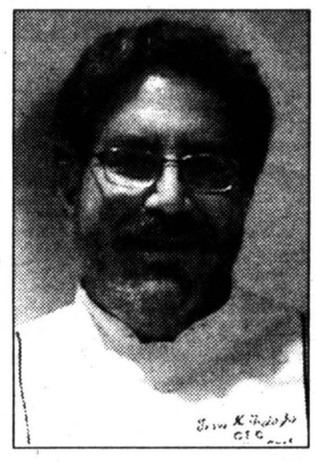
For reservations, call 625-5436.

Cooking demos set at Brinton's Culinary Festival



Chef Jason Wright

FOUR FINE chefs will demonstrate their cooking expertise at the second annual Summer Culinary Festival at Brinton's Remarkable Home & Garden Store at the Carmel Rancho Shopping Center from Friday to Sunday, Aug. 23 - 25.



Chef Terry Teplitzky

Chef Wendy Brodie of Lincoln Court restaurant will be leading off from noon to 2 p.m. Friday.

Chef Terry Teplitzky Michael's Catering and of Wild Thyme Delicatessen will demonstrate from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 24 to be followed from 1 to 2:30 p.m. by Chef Jason Wright of Bahama Billy's. The Rio Grill's Chef Sherman Johnson will be on hand from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 25.

The demonstrations are free and open to the public.

Scratch a pumpkin; walk a bug; get glazed at Earthbound on Aug. 24

By MARGOT PETIT NICHOLS

A BUG WALK, pumpkin scratching and ceramics workshop are on the calendar for Saturday, Aug. 24 at Earthbound Farm, 7250 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley.

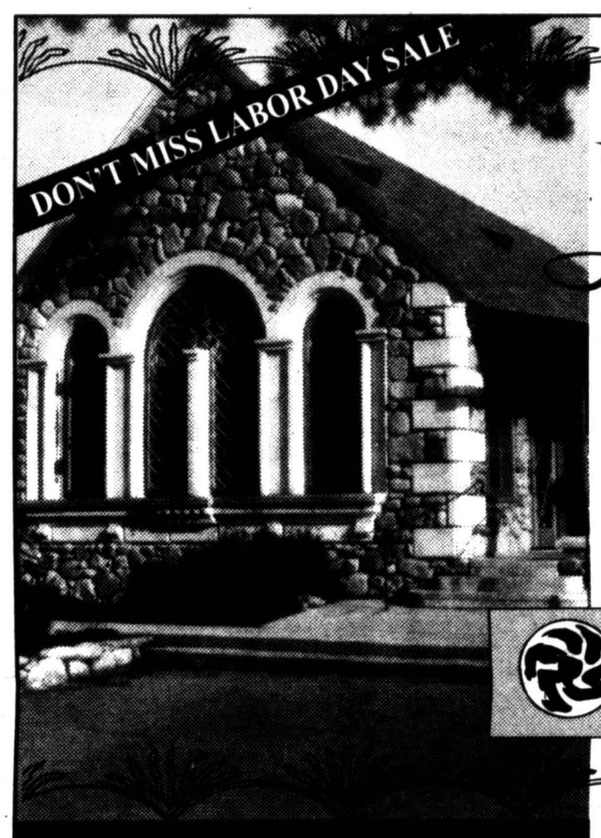
Beneficial insects and their role in organic farming will be discussed on the Bug Walk from 10 to 11 a.m., with kids of all ages able to see the bugs at work in their farming role. Participants will help release beneficial ladybugs into the fields during the walk.

How to scratch designs into pumpkins still growing on the vine will be demonstrated from 11 a.m. to noon, with the pumpkins left until October when the designs will have stretched along with the pumpkins' growth. Participants must be at least 10 years old, and as the scratchers will be sitting in the field with their pumpkins, appropriate clothing and shoes should be worn. Pumpkins are $20 each.

From 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., a ceramics workshop is planned by the staff of Glazes. Those learning to paint a selected ceramic piece can pick up the finished product at Glazes at the Crossroads Shopping Village a few days later. Instruction is free. Pay only for materials.

California is big cheese

CALIFORNIA CHEESEMAKERS garnered 22 awards at the 19th annual conference of the American Cheese Society (ACS) held this month in Washington, D.C. — more than any other state for the cow's milk categories.



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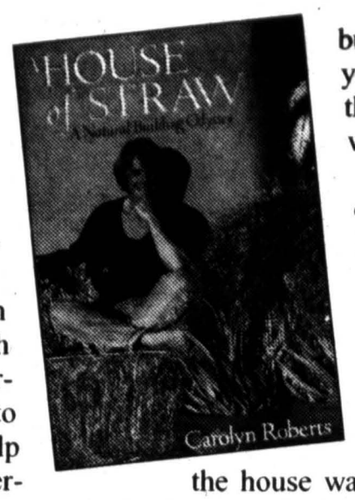


YOU CAN huff, and you can puff, but this house of straw cannot be blown down.

It's a house made of straw bales in the desert outside of Tucson, built by **Carolyn Roberts**, a single mom with two teenage sons. She had no building experience, no carpentry skills, she was holding down a full time job, and she had very little money.

She celebrated with an iced chai at a Tucson coffeehouse the day she purchased the land with $6,000 down. Her plan was to build the house herself with rented tools and with help from time to time from local friends, some skilled hired help when it was absolutely necessary, and a faith in herself and the universe.

Reading this book, **"A House of Straw,"** may leave you mentally exhausted, but you will be impatient to return to the book each time you have to put it down. The mechanics of building a straw bale house may be unknown to you before you start the book, but you'll find the process fascinating as each step along the way is explained, tackled and accomplished.

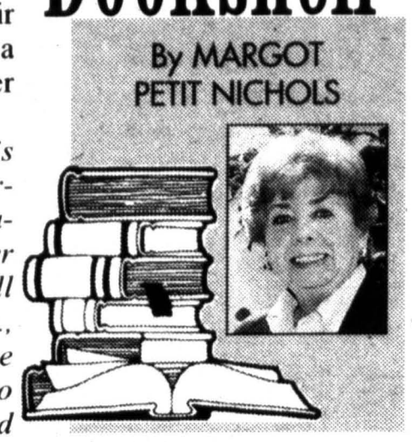
The physical exertion Carolyn Roberts expended in each of these steps is almost unbearable to read about. She wondered how she could complete one task before going on to the next. The whole purpose in building the house in the desert was to simplify her life and her boys' lives and to allow them to pursue their personal values while escaping our consumer-dominated culture. But building the house was no simple task and complicated her life in unimagined ways — until it was finished.

She loved the beauty of the desert, but creating a house there through dust storms, extreme heat and monsoon weather is not everyone's cup of tea.

Although this book is not touted as a how-to building book, the reader will, nevertheless, come away with an expanded knowledge of what it takes to build a straw house from the earthen floor up. It's one of those "impossible dream" books that sets down not only the practical day-by-day building tasks, but also includes the author's emotional states as things go wrong and unforeseen setbacks occur. Her insecurities and fears are recorded, too, as she works seemingly endless days, all the while keeping her growing boys on track with their school work as they live in a borrowed, cramped trailer alongside the building site.

The Bookshelf

By MARGOT PETIT NICHOLS



Carolyn Roberts, this wonder woman who surmounted hundreds of obstacles and who completed her home in the desert, will appear in Carmel at 7 p.m., Friday, Aug. 30 at The Thunderbird Bookshop to present a slide show, talk and book signing.

The 235-page trade paperback, published by Chelsea Green Publishing, White River Junction, Vt., contains a resource guide of books and articles. It retails for $17.95. For details and photos of Carolyn's house, visit the website www.ahouseofstraw.com.

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AS WELL as the East of Eden Writing Conference at the National Steinbeck Center in Salinas this weekend, the center has launched a **"Sincerely, John Steinbeck"** correspondence exhibition that will run through March 2, 2003.

The collection includes selected letters from the center archives that were penned by the Nobel laureate. The letters are often humorous and offer a glimpse of the writer's more intimate thoughts on writing, posterity and friendship. It is known that he used letters as a warm-up exercise, writing several a day before commencing work on a manuscript.

As well as answers to the myriads of letters he received, he also wrote letters to long established personal correspondents.

Visiting the center and reading these exhibited letters provides us all with the opportunity of learning more about this world-acclaimed author. He wrote, "What an extension of self is this pen. Once it is in my hand like a wand, I stop being the confused, turgid, ugly and gross person. I am no longer the me I know."

Trish Kirchoff, a grad student at John F. Kennedy University in Orinda, curated the exhibition, which is free with paid admission of $9.95 for adults, $7.95 for seniors and students, $6.95 for youths 13 - 17, and $5.95 for children 6 - 12. Children under 5 and members are admitted free. The museum is open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily at One Main Street, Salinas. For information, call 775-4720.

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JOHN SHERMAN will discuss and sign his self-help book, **"Under Pressure,"** from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 27 at Bay Books, 316 Alvarado St., Monterey. Sherman has 30 years of clinical experience from intensive care to rehabilitation, has been an assistant professor of physical disabilities at San Jose State University, and is an occupational therapist and certified Shiatsu therapist.

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NEEDLES

From page 14A

■ Laguna Seca's Historic Car Races thrill again

The **Rolex Monterey Historic Automobile Races** at Laguna Seca are the best for the adrenalin rush . . . A number of locals grabbed the chance to get in on the action with their own cars. Most prominent — Bernardus' **Ben Pon**, formerly a Grand Prix racecar driver, who wanted to drive the original Porsche Abarth he raced in the 24 hour Le Mans in 1960, now owned by friend **Dean Watts**. Dean saw it as "history sitting in history." To Ben's utmost frustration, the car's second gear broke during a practice lap, so he raced the Porsche Dean had planned to drive, coming in 8th among 32 cars — not good enough for his very competitive spirit. But he had a good time. "Even after 40 years, the same excitement is still there — you don't lose it," he said, adding his heart was pounding though he didn't show it. While his right-hand, **Carole Forest**, kept an eye over him, wife **Ingrid** chose to skip that "excitement" and stay home rather than watch and be a basket case! . . . **Larry Menser**, retired insurance broker, has been racing 24 years. Wife **Chantal** keeps lap time for him, though she still "frets." Of daughters **Alison** and **Laurel**, only Alison races. His '60 Indy is his only race car among his other six classics. Other local owners: **Craig Davis** (founder of the Concours' Tour d'Elegance), **Pat Phinny, Max Jamiesson, Lou Pavesi, Mac Archer, Jimmy Domingos, Terry McHenry** and **Don & Pat Orosco**.

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Piercingly intense, awesomely talented actors bring home the Shakespeare

By BEVERLY HILL VAN JOOLEN

Theater Review

"TWO STARS keep not the motion in one sphere" — so says the dashing Prince Harry just before his sword ends the life of his rival, Hotspur. Perhaps not when kings and princes fight for the right to reign. But in the Pacific Repertory productions of William Shakespeare's "Henry IV, Parts 1 and 2," the performances not only maintain excellent balance, but shine with the genius of the wordsmith and the savage eloquence of the players.

Part 1 opens on a blood-red stage as King Henry IV seizes the crown from Richard II. Henry later counts on his sons, Harry (Hal) and John to help defend his kingship. But Harry, the heir apparent, is more interested in rabble rousing with his plebeian drinking buddies than in learning to be king. After a wicked tongue-lashing from his father, Harry takes up the cause and wins the day, though not without a loss of innocence.

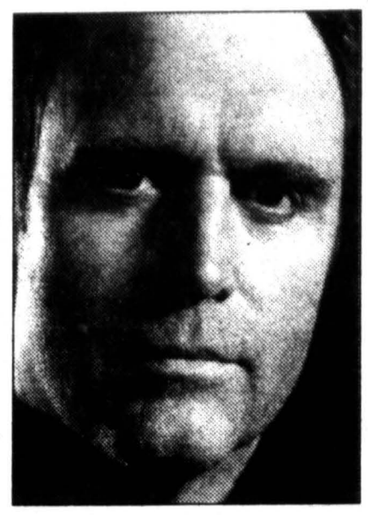
Full of ribald humor and swashbuckling action on an elaborate multi-level stage, Part 1 is a quick three hour feast for the passions. Part 2, though even longer, retains the humor but loses the action in an exploration of the emotional and intellectual transformation of king and prince.

Confined to his bed, the aging Henry is tormented by illness and haunted by his failure to conquer the infidels in Jerusalem. Harry, having played the hero, has escaped court life. But when called home, the prince discards his life of debauchery and dons the mantle of nobility.

Staged at the Golden Bough Theatre, the plays are pertinent, even reflective of today's headline news. Director Stephen Moorer toys with the similarities by juxtaposing automatic weapons and broadswords, doublets and mafioso suits, taped press releases and courier delivered dispatches. The concept works better in Part 1 than in Part 2, though not extraordinarily well in either one. Slipping between time dimensions, while an intriguing device, adds a level of confusion to the already intricate plot. Also, the use of confederate uniforms rather than fatigues would better complement the plays' themes.

Doublets, kilts and khakis

As for the cast, whether in doublets, kilts, khakis or robes, the players from king to courier are one sexy and awesomely talented band of brothers. James Kiberd, as King Henry, is piercingly intense and commanding in his delivery. John Farmanesh-Bocca (Harry) is phenomenal as he soars between adolescent arrogance and princely grace with a bruising raw defiance. As Prince John, Anthony Piana is formidable in his devotion to his father. Henry Percy, dubbed Hotspur, is played by Kevin Black with incredible perception, tortured integrity and impassioned conviction. John Rousseau lightens the mood with his delightfully self-indulgent and raucous depiction of Falstaff, Harry's mentor of all things base and fun.



James Kiberd as King Henry . . . "piercingly intense."

Only three minor female characters are portrayed in both plays. Cristina Anselmo is regal as Lady Percy, but pulls back from a true commitment to her character. Amy Washburn as the inn hostess, is sassy and gregarious, and Lucinda Serrano, a serving wench, is wonderfully bawdy. Also, mention must be made of Tim Hart who is the man of half a dozen faces and costumes. He switches between Scottish brogue, lilting Irish and the king's English with equal ease and undeniable believability.

Shakespeare's histories are not as accessible as his comedies or tragedies. However, like his more mainstream works, they transcend time, human emotion and humanity's frailties, to connect with us. If the two Henries require a twofold effort to be fully comprehended, they are worth the trouble. And really it's not so tough. Just relax your mind, expose your senses, and watch the stars come out. Quills up!

■ This week, "Henry IV, Part 1," can be seen at 2 p.m. Saturday, 7 p.m. Sunday and 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 24, 25 and 29. "Henry IV, Part 2," will be staged at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Aug. 23-24. For additional performance times and to make reservations, call the Pacific Repertory Theatre box office at 622-0100.

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Plugged In

By Stephen L. Vagnini

Touring in support of their eighth album on the RCA/Bluebird label, Fourplay features the talented quartet of keyboardist **Bob James**, bassist/-vocalist **Nathan East**, drummer **Harvey Mason** and guitarist **Larry Carlton**, each a major solo artist in his own right. The group's latest album, "Heartfelt," reveals a new side to the group, challenging the fundamental assumptions of what contemporary jazz is all about. Premium reserved tickets are sold out, however reserved and general seating is still available. Tickets are available by calling the SSP Concert Hotline at 649-1223, or log onto www.smoothjazz.com.

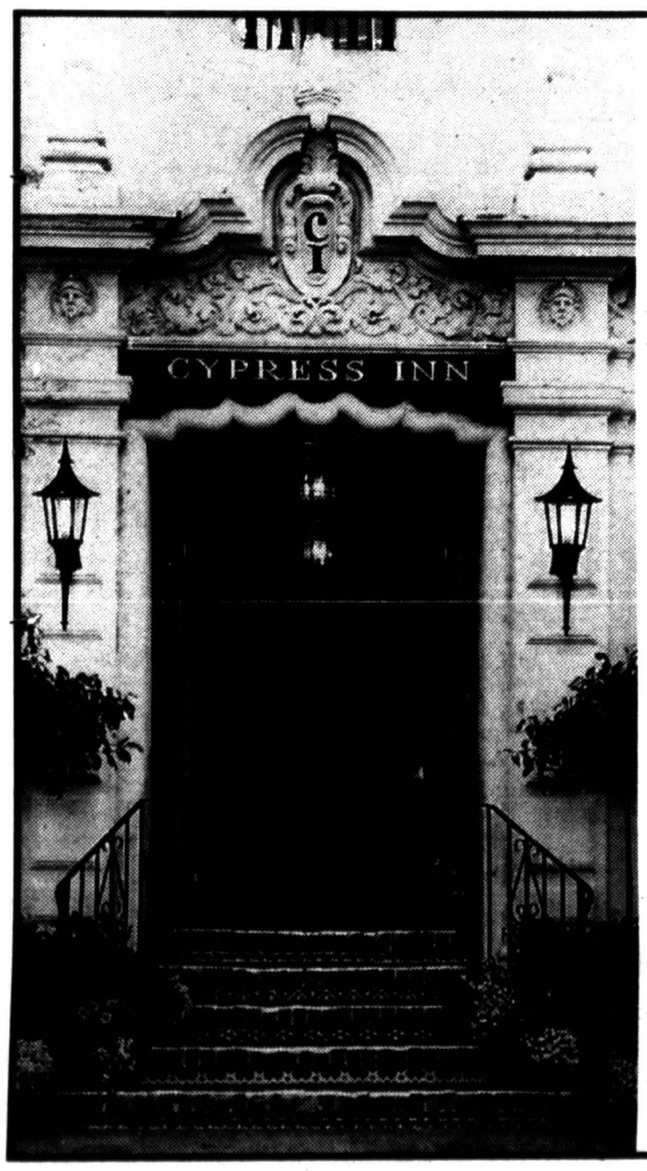
Back in March, young pianist **Taylor Eigisti** performed at The Jazz & Blues Company with Chris and Dan Brubeck. Eigisti, a native of Menlo Park and barely out of high school, has already performed at most major San Francisco Bay area jazz clubs and has begun to tour with his own group. This Saturday (Aug. 24) Eigisti returns to the Carmel jazz venue and performs with **Jason Lewis** on drums and **John Shifflet** on bass. Says Dave Brubeck of the young rising star, "Taylor is one of the best young musicians I have ever heard."

Blues diva **Taylor P. Collins** performs this Saturday (Aug. 24) at Sly McFly's on Cannery Row for the first time in almost a year. An Oakland area resident, Collins is a good friend of legendary blues vocalist Ruth Brown and is in her own right one of the most powerful female vocalists on the blues scene today. A perennial Monterey favorite, Taylor has performed on the main stage at the Monterey Bay Blues Festival. A member of the Oakland Blues Hall of Fame, Collins has been featured in the International music publication "Blues Life." Music starts at 9. Call 649-8050 for more information.

A concert at Jack Galante's vineyards in Cachagua in Carmel Valley is more than just a concert. Galante's Summer Sounds Concert takes place in an idyllic setting and features great music plus food, dancing on rose petals, foot baths and of course, plenty of wine. This year's summer concert at Galante Vineyards takes place 1 to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 1 and features the "Queen of Folkabilly," **Nanci Griffith**. Having just returned from a goodwill tour of Kosovo where she performed in support of the Campaign for a Landmine Free World, Griffith is touring in support of her latest CD, "Clock Without Hands."

Nanci Griffith

The recipient of five Grammy Award nominations and the winner of the Best Contemporary Folk Performance for her 1993 release, "Other Voices, Other Rooms," Griffith released her first album in 1978 on a small independent label BF Deal records. Her body of work since then includes a plethora of classic albums released on both the Philo/Rounder and MCA record labels, albums that brilliantly straddle the balance between folk and country music. In addition to her new album, Griffith is releasing a live album recorded in London, a collection of such Griffith vignettes as "Flyer" and "Wing And the Wheel," plus such notable covers as Dylan's "Boots of Spanish Leather" and the folk classic "If I had a Hammer."A pillar of American folk music, Griffith has enjoyed superstar status in the United Kingdom and Ireland and also received two Grammys for performances on albums by Irish artists The Chieftains. She appears at Galante Vineyards with her group of 10 years, the Blue Moon Orchestra. For tickets and more information contact 800-GALANTE or log onto www.galantevineyards.com.



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Firefighters plan Sept. 11 remembrance

By TAMARA GRIPPI

IN REMEMBRANCE of the victims of the last fall's terrorist attacks, Carmel Valley firefighters are inviting local firefighters, law enforcement officers and citizens to gather for a candlelight ceremony on the anniversary of that sad day.

Firefighters from all local jurisdictions as well as representatives of the Monterey County Sheriffs Department, California Highway Patrol and local police officers will gather at 7 p.m. at the Mid Valley Shopping Center Sept. 11.

Reade said local fire fighters feel strongly about attending the event in uniform. They also plan to drape American flags on fire engines parked at the shopping center.

Participants will receive candles as they listen to the Seaside High School Chorus sing patriotic songs including the National Anthem and America the Beautiful.

"We want to recognize not only those who lost their lives, but the friends and families affected," Reade said. "We want to think about our patriotism and be grateful for the things we have here in the United States."

Carmel Valley Battalion Chief Patrick Dowd said the ceremony is meant to encourage reflection on the events of Sept. 11 but not necessarily mourning.

"This is not still a grieving time," Dowd said. "It's a time to remember what happened and consider ourselves and our own commitment and step forward and make that statement to the community."

On the morning of Sept. 11, the Carmel area fire fighters will join their comrades across the nation in a ritual that commemorates the exact times each of the World Trade Center's two towers collapsed.

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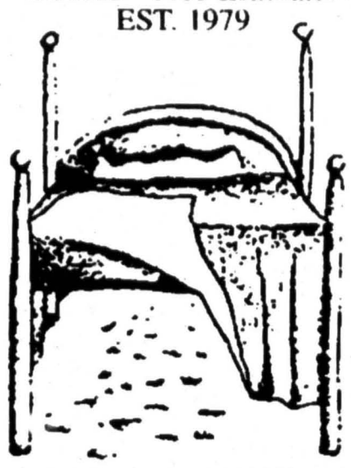

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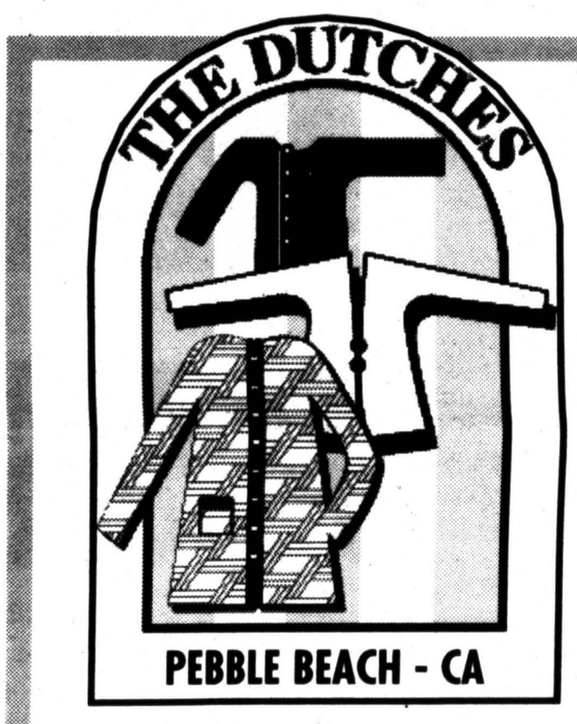

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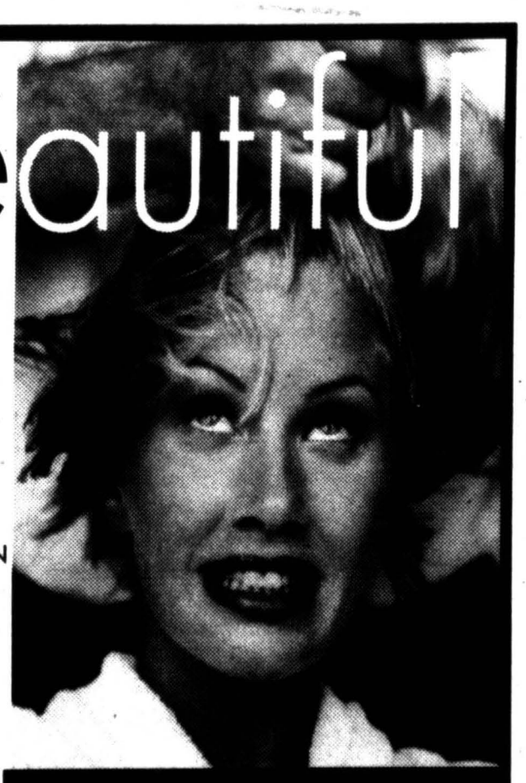

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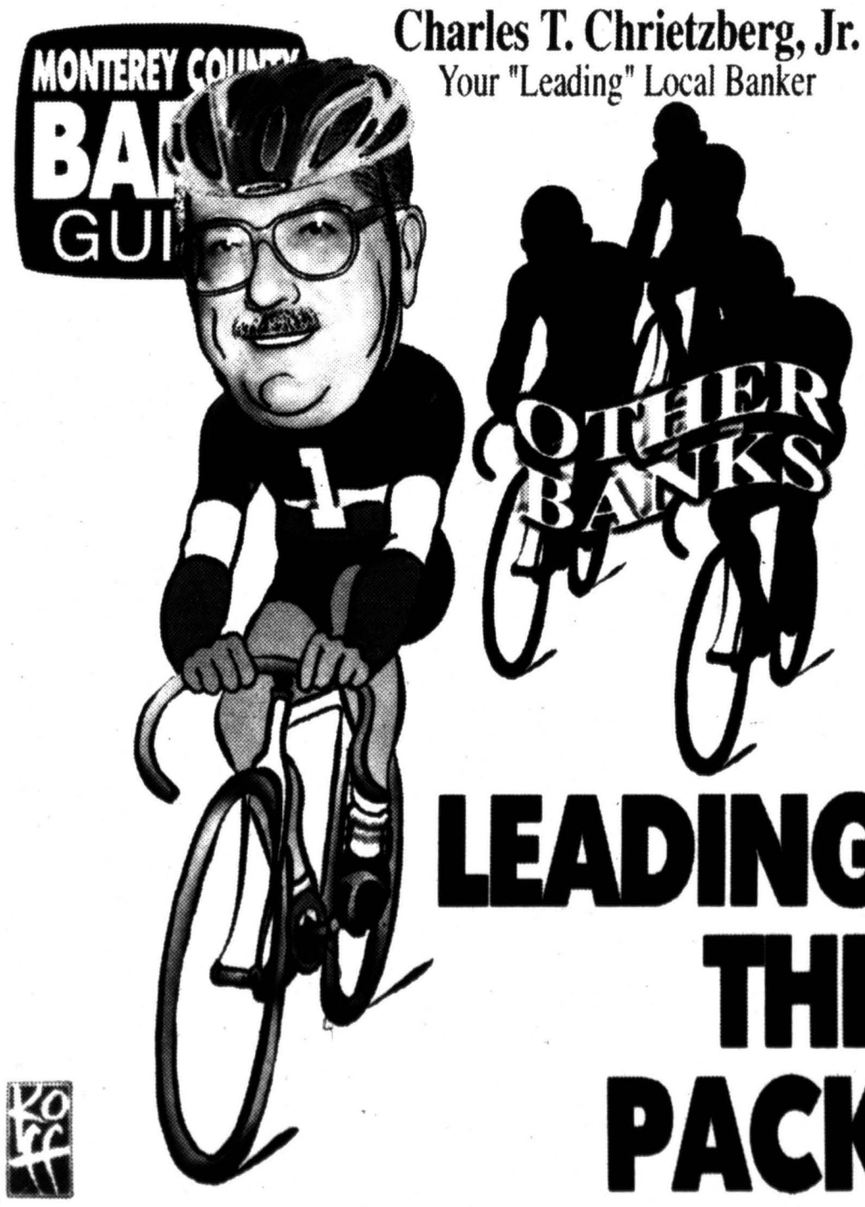

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OPINION

Editorial

The value of a river

FOR MOST Peninsula residents, the dire water shortage of the last seven years has hardly been noticeable. But even if they haven't been affected by it, they're about to be confronted with the cost of fixing it.

In 1995, the State Water Resources Control Board decreed that this community had to quit taking most of its water from the Carmel River.

Recognizing the disastrous consequences for everyone if its order were enforced right away, members of the SWRCB didn't demand that Cal-Am's pumps be shut down immediately. Instead, they ordered a mere 20 percent cutback in water consumption while the Monterey Peninsula sought a new source for potable H_2O.

Thus, the only people who have suffered under the legally declared water shortage are people who have needed new water — families with hopes for an extra bathroom, owners of vacant lots, businesses with expansion plans. They've been left high and dry. But, with above-average rainfall nearly every year, the rest of us have merrily continued to use as much water as we needed.

Meanwhile, the state has studied ways to replace the Carmel River water we rely on. Two weeks ago, the answer was formally unveiled. A giant desal plant next to the Moss Landing power plant would provide billions of gallons of water each year, reserving the Carmel River's flow for the fish, frogs and flora that depend on it for survival.

But protecting these creatures won't be cheap. No less than $120 million will have to be spent right away — plus at least $6 million each year — to turn salt water into fresh. Mother Nature, of course, is already running a giant desal plant called evaporation. And she does it for free. But her annual gift in the form of rainfall across the Carmel River watershed doesn't belong to its people, the state has decreed.

Will this community be willing to pay such a huge price for the sake of the environment? If they are asked, the answer might well be No, as it was the last time they were asked to pay for a (much smaller) desal plant.

If the Public Utilities Commission is serious about desalination as a local water source, it had better be ready to force the people of the Monterey Peninsula to pay for it. Because they probably won't do so willingly.

BATES

"Life? Life is what happens while you're making other plans."

Letters to the Editor

Eliminate two-year term

Dear Editor:

One solution to reducing the cost of Carmel city election campaigns is quite obvious: Eliminate the mayoral race now held every two years.

Carmel must be one of the few local electoral entities that chooses to limit the mayor to a two year term. While the mayor has appointment opportunities and enjoys the position of being the representative elected head of local government, the incumbent has only one vote just as do the other four council members on matters of civic substance. So the position isn't all that much more important.

Can anyone seriously believe that the recent election would have required the sums of money spent on it had not there been on the ballot the election of a mayor just two years after the last vote for that office? If two council posts alone had been up for political grabs, there would have been some civic interest and election spending but surely not to the extent that was done.

As an alternative, "free rides" could well be dropped. If an incumbent council person chooses to run for a two year term as mayor while still having two years left as a council member — as was the case in the recent election — had the candidate been required to give up the council position when making the choice to run, we might well have never seen such a fiercely and expensively contested election. The bird in the hand, as it were, being more valuable than the mayor's position out in the bush.

With a four year term for mayor, the majority of council seats would be up for vote each four years, the need for expensive campaigns might well be reduced by half and the city of Carmel could be spared a lot of acrimony and the deluge of election signage as a by-product every two years.

Kenneth Bullock, *Carmel*

Both sides of lagoon issue

Dear Editor:

When an immovable object meets an irresistible force, somebody is overstating their case.

In this instance, the "force" is represented by National Marine Fisheries. They are charged with enforcing the Endangered Species Act which prohibits causing harm to a species on its list of endangered animals.

If I understand their position correctly it is that any mechanical breaching of the sandbar at the mouth of the Carmel River is detrimental to the steelhead trout and is therefore

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In their April 3 opinion (number 01-1007), California Attorney General Bill Lockyer and deputy attorney general Gregory Gonot concluded a trustee of the Lakeside Union School District could not also serve as a director of the Padre Dam Municipal Water District.

According to "common law," offices are incompatible if their duties and loyalties clash.

Lockyer and Gonot found that since a water district regulates the costs and amounts of water that can be used — and a school district might be a recipient of that water — serving as a decision maker for both would lead to divided loyalties.

"What might be in the best interests of the school district may not be in the best interests of the water district," they wrote.

The local circumstances are similar. The park district is subject to a wide variety of rules and regulations issued by the water board. It also owns vast acreages along the Carmel River, which is the principal regulatory domain of the water board.

"Only one potential significant clash of duties or loyalties is necessary to make offices incompatible," the attorney general wrote.

But according to Leavy, the attorney general's opinion that a person could not serve on a school board and a water board because those positions violate the Common Law Doctrine of Incompatible Offices had no bearing on Lehman's decision.

She had for weeks mulled over stepping down because it took too much work to serve on two boards and run her interior design business, he said. Lehman waited to resign until after the filing period for her park board seat closed Aug. 14 because she wanted to see if anyone would run. When no one stepped up, she opted to resign now — as opposed to finishing out her term — so the park district board could select her successor rather than the Monterey County Board of Supervisors.

"She decided at some point some time ago not to run for office this time around," he said.

Leavy also found the attorney general's ruling irrelevant.

"I don't think it's on point," he said, adding that he believes the water district does not set the rates paid by the park district for its water.

(While the California Public Utilities Commission decides what California-American Water Company can charge its ratepayers, MPWMD Planner Henrietta Stern verified that the district's board each year votes on the connection fees, currently set at $19,976 per acre-foot as of July 1, 2002.)

"In the short time she stayed on our district board and the water district board [since December 2001], we've never come across, to my knowledge, any incompatibility," Leavy said. "Had there been one, she would have abstained from voting. She asked district counsel from time to time if there was a conflict, and there was no conflict."

Leavy said he will miss Lehman, who served as a park district director for eight years.

Chesshire commented this week he was glad to hear Lehman decided to resign from her park district position.

"It's about time she did the right thing — I'm surprised she didn't do it sooner," he said. "Unfortunately, it's a little late for the electorate to put someone in there."

Instead, the park district board will decide who Lehman's successor should be. Leavy encouraged anyone living within Lehman's former ward, which includes parts of Monterey, all of Del Rey Oaks and the southern half of Ft. Ord, to contact the park district at 372-3197.

LETTERS

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unlawful. It isn't useful to say that fish don't vote and laws can be changed because fish have many friends that do vote. The Endangered Species Act is very popular and will not be repealed anytime soon.

In the other corner, the "object" is the few dozen homes surrounding the lagoon. Their position is that the county has prevented the lagoon from overflowing into their homes in the many years the homes have been there and they don't want to hear that it is about to abandon that effort on their behalf. It isn't helpful to remind them that they live on a flood plain because that has very little to do with the subject at hand. During the disastrous floods in the mid-90's that inundated the Crossroads Shopping Center and much of Mission Fields, these homes were not touched. The inundation under discussion is preventable, as it has been for the last 30 years. Attendant to that, where there are homes, there is sewage and sewers. Sewers are equipped with release valves. When they are flooded with more water than they can handle, the valves open to prevent sewage from backing up into homes, thus releasing it into the streets.

It is time for everybody to stop drawing lines in the sand (so to speak), to listen and assess the strengths and vulnerabilities of both sides. I also hope the whole community will heighten their awareness of this potential train wreck. A big, preventable flood in the South end of Carmel may very well occasion a sewerage spill into Carmel Bay, widespread health hazards, a lengthy cleanup, and a great gathering of lawyers. And won't that be fun.

Diana Reynolds, *Carmel*

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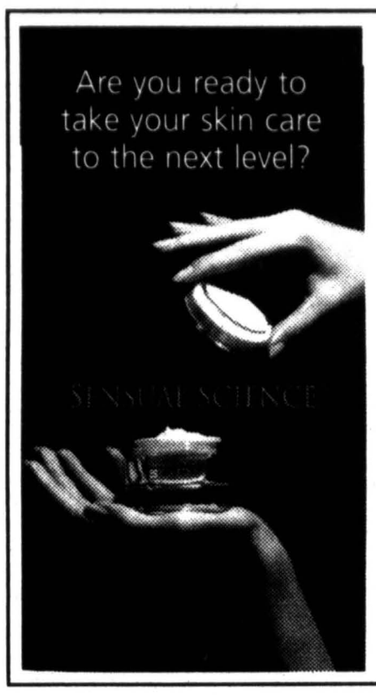

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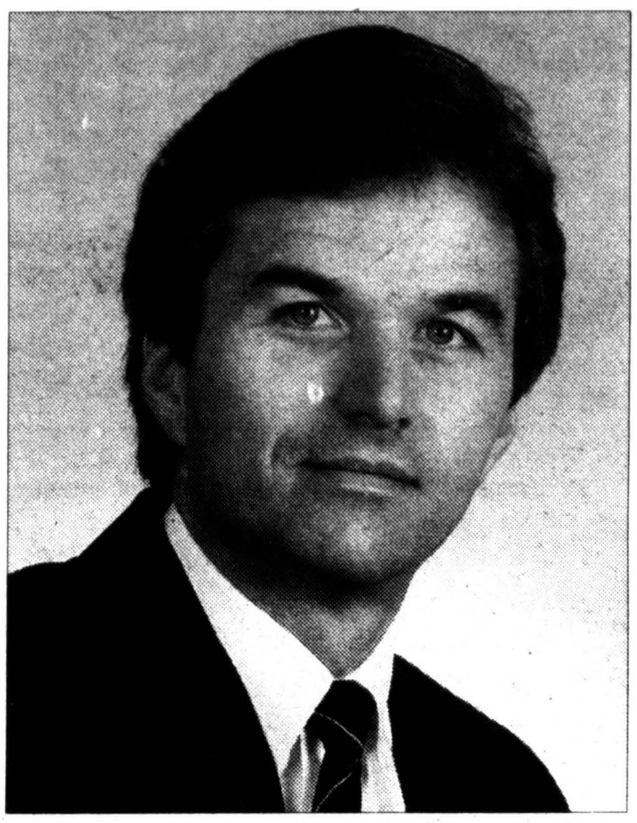

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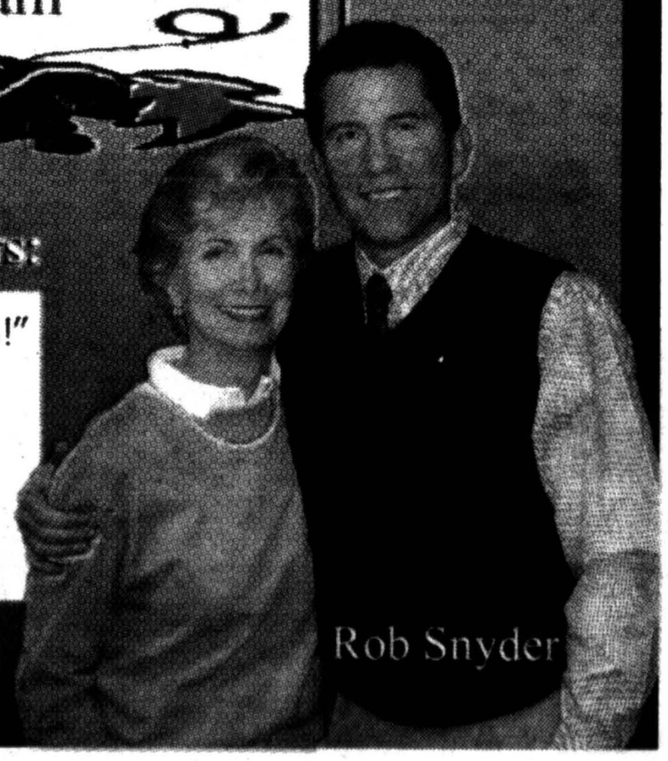

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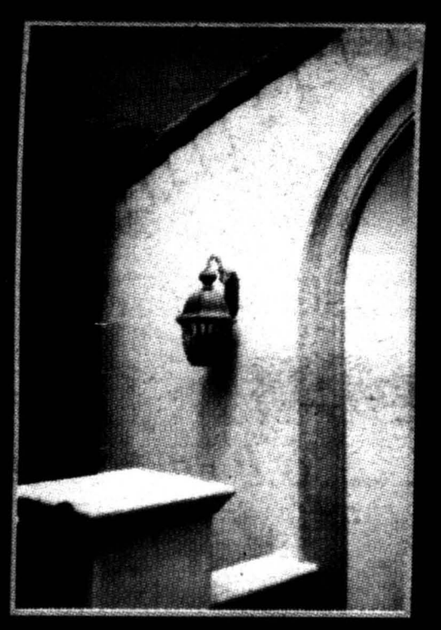

■ This week's cover home, located in Carmel Highlands, is presented by Terry Tydings of Coldwell Banker Del Monte Realty (see page 2B)

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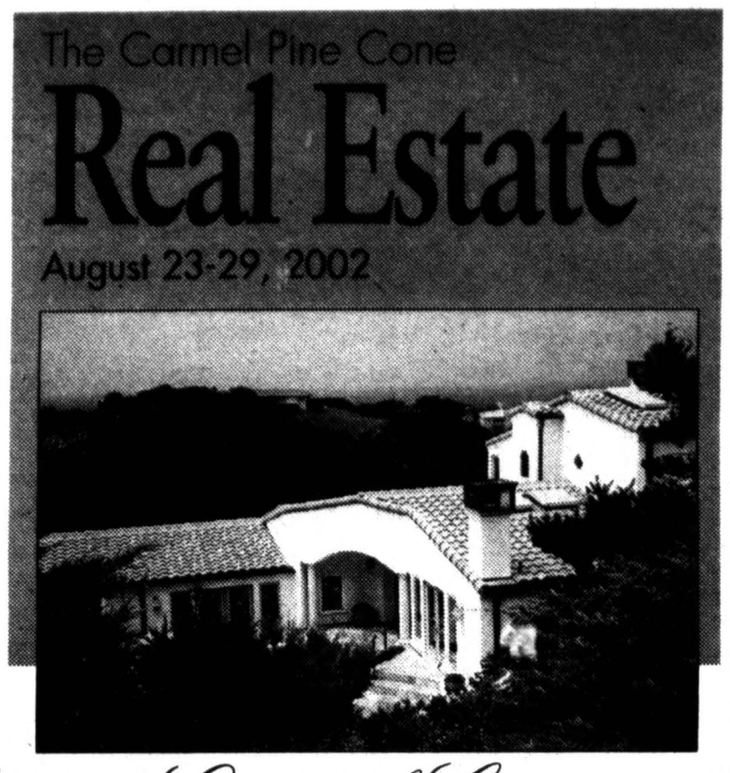

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Torres St $699,500
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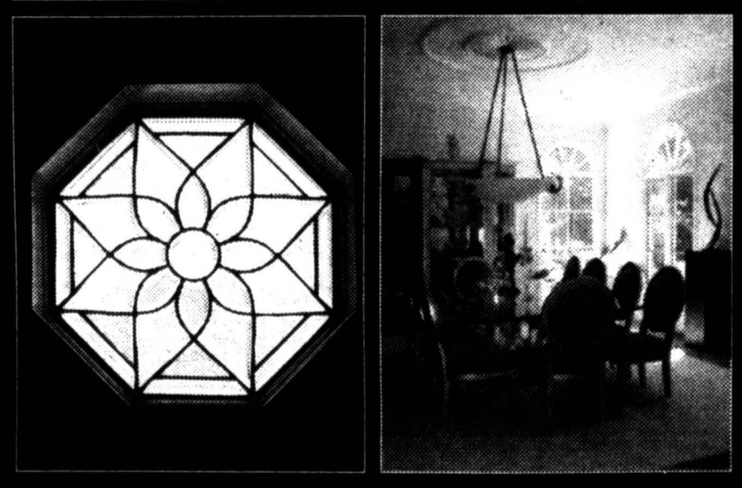

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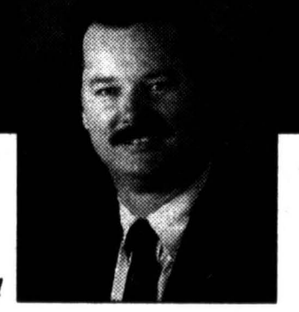

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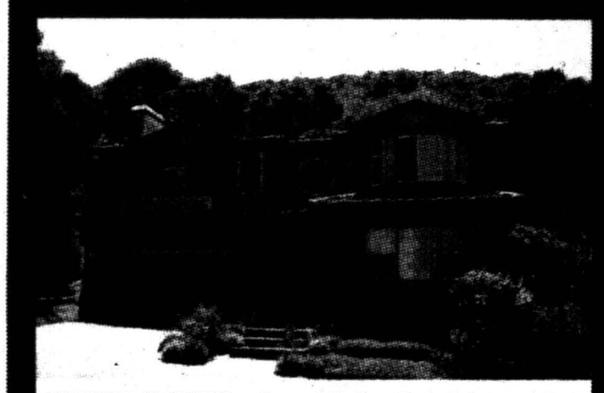

CARMEL VALLEY—Carmel Valley Ranch home sited above the 12th fairway at the Summit and enjoys 180 degree views. Extensively upgraded including hardwood floors, maple cabinetry, custom built-ins, skylights, alarm, plantation shutters, ample storage and a separate office. A large, expanded private and sunny rear deck off of the media room adds to the outdoor living space. A rare Summit offering.

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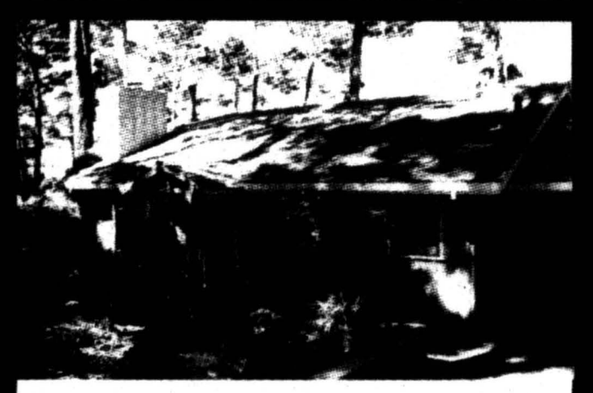

CARMEL—Ocean and sunset views over Pescadero Canyon from this contemporary two-story four bedroom, three and one half bath home. On an oversized lot with potential for expansion, the home offers an open floor plan with hardwood floors, living room with fireplace, family room, office with built-ins, spacious master bedroom, additional water fixtures and a. large view deck.

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Expansion planned for Quail Lodge clubhouse

CHIROPRACTIC SERVICES, better fitness areas, new conference rooms and a kitchen are among the changes planned for Quail Lodge's 38-year-old clubhouse on Valley Greens Drive, according to county assistant planning director Alana Knaster.

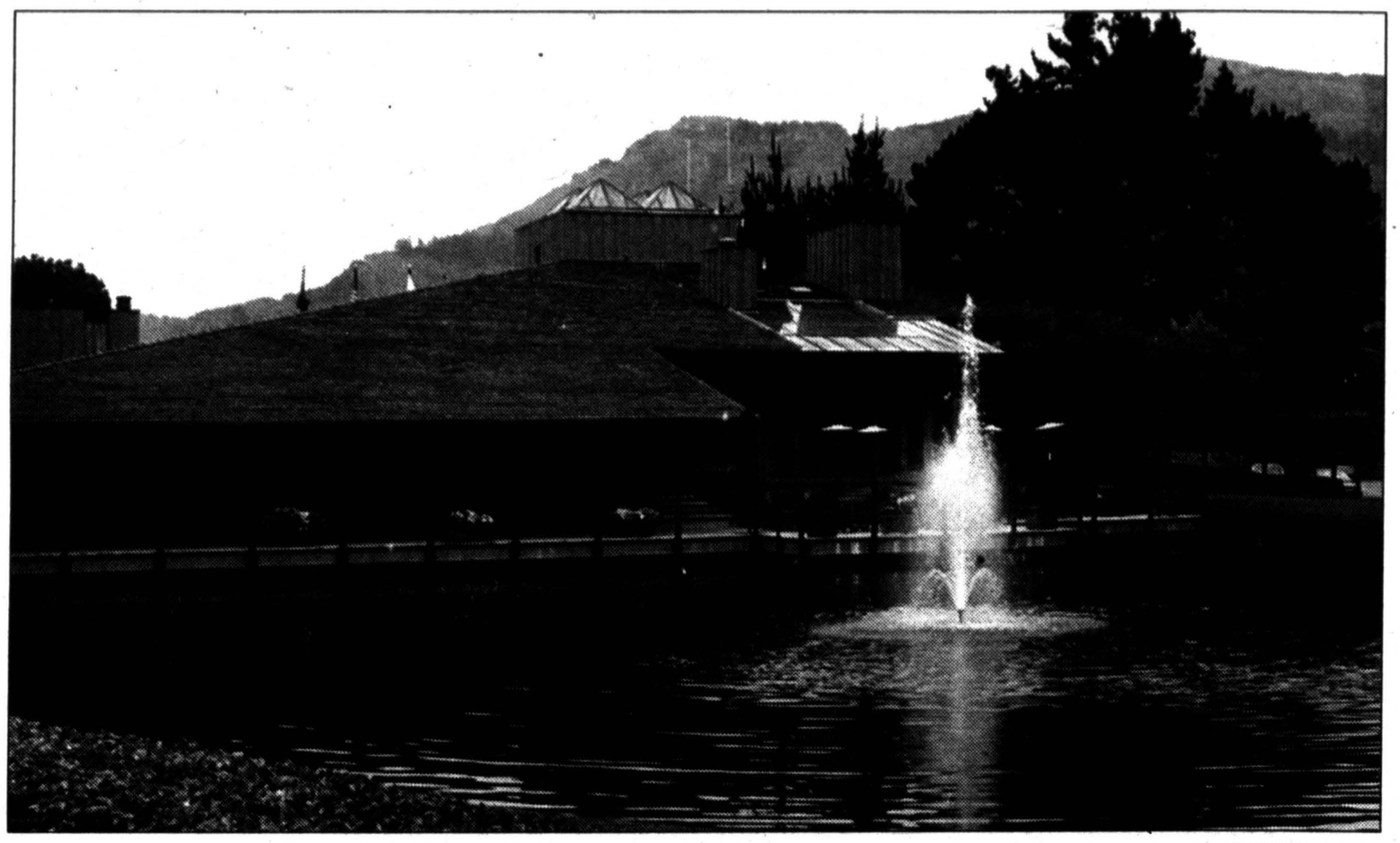
The plans — set to be heard by the Carmel Valley Land Use Advisory Committee Aug. 26 — call for a 1,095-square-foot addition to the clubhouse, as well as improved storage for golf carts and an enlarged parking lot.

"They are the things people need to run the facility; they are an enhancement for existing services," Knaster said.

In addition, Quail Lodge has requested a lot line adjustment to slightly change the sizes of two parcels, from 3.28 acres to 3.41 acres and 56.44 acres to 56.31 acres. No development is yet planned for those lots, according to Knaster.

She did not have any information on the details of the clubhouse design.

The Carmel Valley Land Use Advisory Committee is scheduled to discuss the application at 6:30 p.m. Aug. 26 in the Faith Hall Building of the Sanctuary Bible Church located at Carmel Valley Road and Schulte Road.



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A 1,095-square-foot addition to the clubhouse at Quail Lodge, as well as improved storage for golf carts and an enlarged parking lot are on tap for discussion at an Aug. 26 gathering of the Carmel Valley Land Use Advisory Committee.

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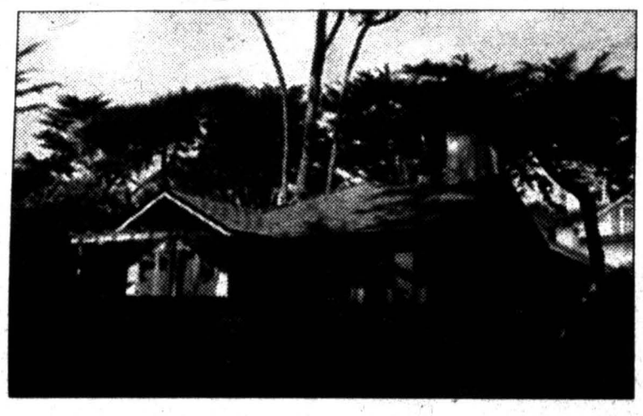

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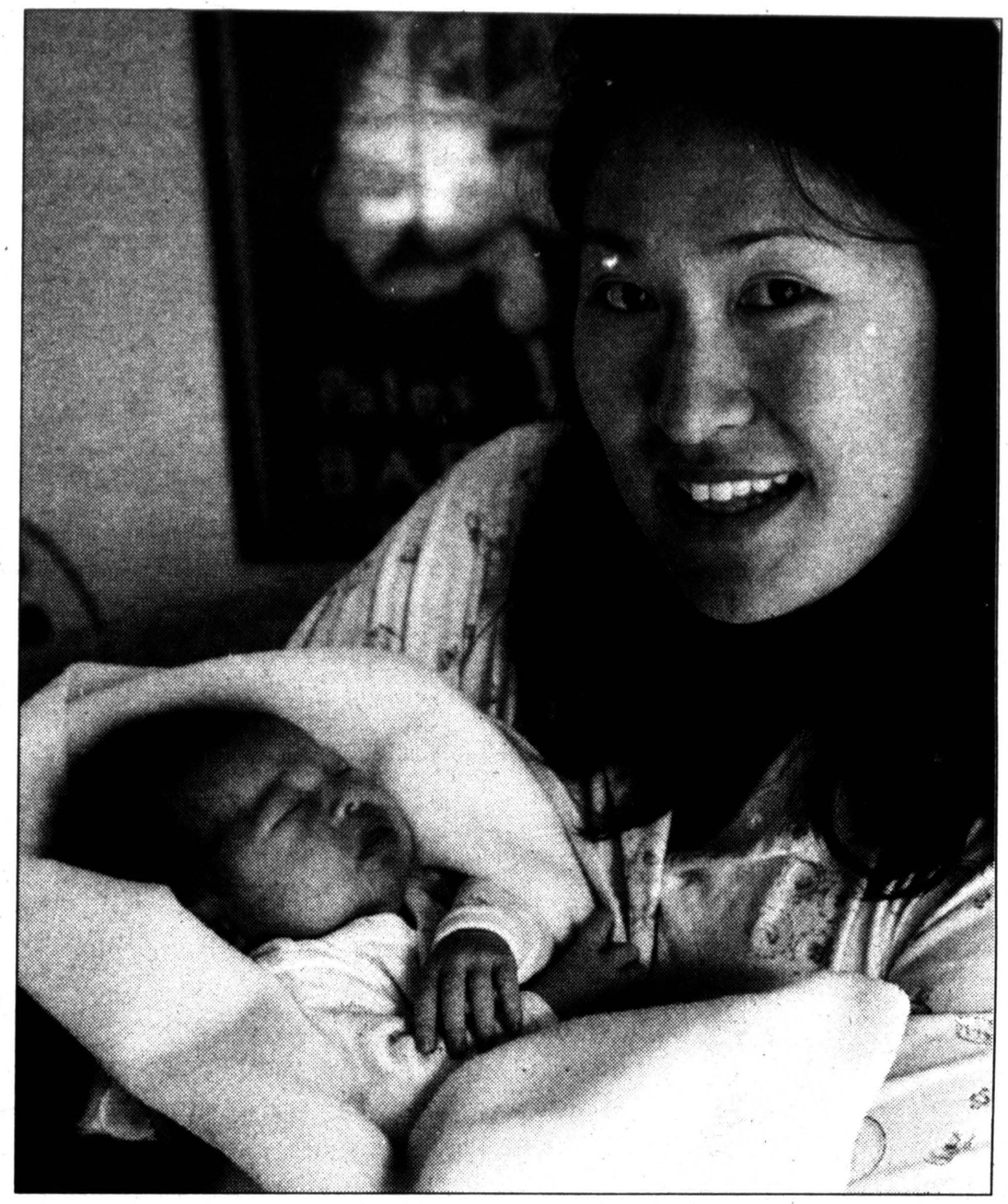

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Pine Cone advertising account executive Jung Yi is really proud of her new baby girl, Emma Austell Crabbe, born Aug. 8 at CHOMP. The baby, who weighed 8 lbs and 2 oz, is at home in Carmel with mom and her husband, David Crabbe, a commercial fisherman. Jung will be returning to work at the Pine Cone after her maternity leave.

Land trust: Cell phone antennas won't mar view

By MARY BROWNFIELD

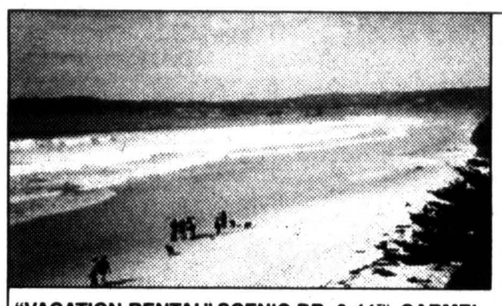
CELLULAR SERVICE in Carmel Highlands will improve if the county approves the Big Sur Land Trust's application to replace panel antennas on a 32-acre property it owns near Point Lobos, according to executive director Corey Brown.

"When we purchased the property in 1998, there were a number of cell phone towers already on the property, and this would be an effort to improve cell phone service in the Carmel Highlands and surrounding areas," Brown said. "It will also improve safety, because cell phones are important for safety in those areas."

Brown said the two existing 4-foot roof-mounted panels operated by Verizon Wireless are not visible from anywhere off the property, which is on the east side of Highway 1 on Riley Ranch Road. He said the 12 four-panel antennas Verizon wants installed in place of the old antennas will not affect views in any way.

"Preserving the spectacular scenery behind Point Lobos has been a major project for the land trust for more than a decade," Brown said. "When we purchased this property, we preserved it from any additional development, and this is a minor modification to an existing structure."

The Carmel Highlands Land Use Advisory Committee was set to discuss the proposal Aug. 19, according to member Barbara Rainer, but voted to delay the hearing because no one from the land trust attended and the group wanted to visit the site first. The LUAC rescheduled the discussion for 4 p.m. on Sept. 3 in the conference room at the Carmel Highlands Fire Station, 73 Fern Canyon Rd., Carmel Highlands.



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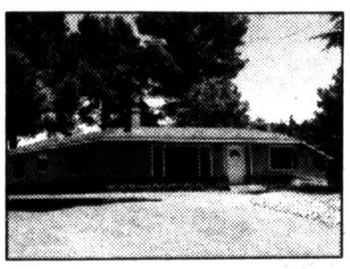

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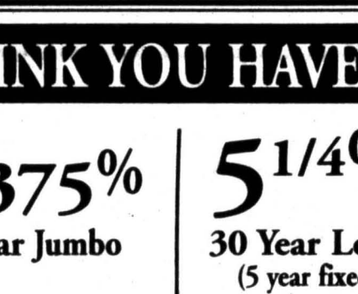

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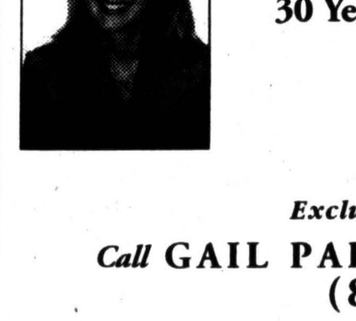

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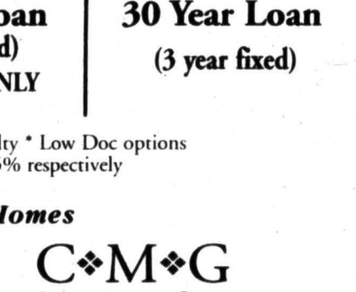

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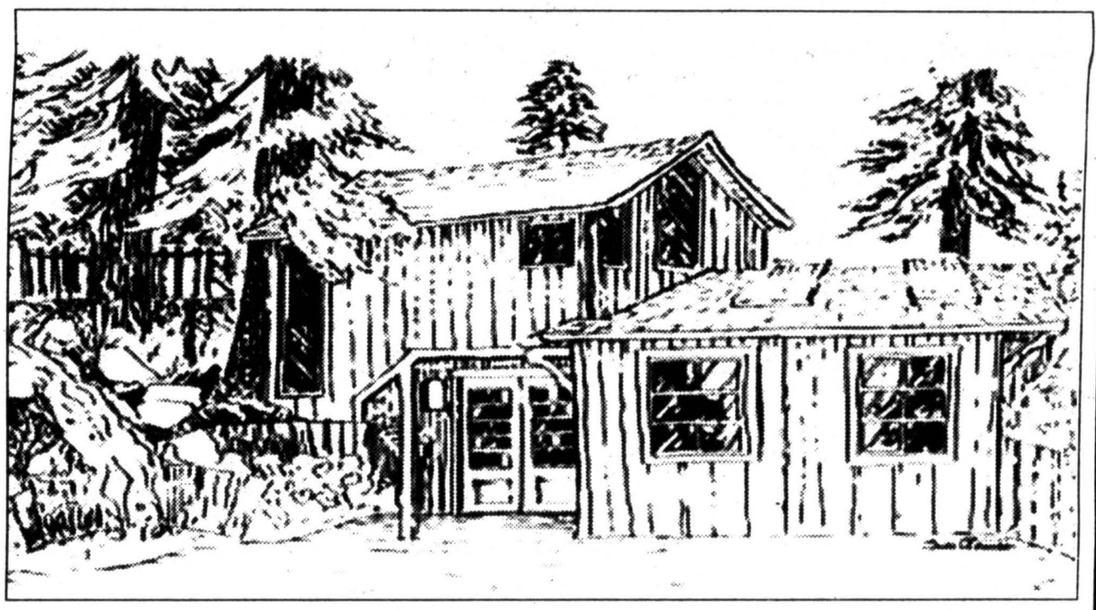

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POLICE LOG

From page 4A

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Complaint of loud music at Torres and Fifth. Resident contacted and agreed to turn off the music for the evening.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a past-tense disturbance between a male and the owner of a San Carlos street gas station that occurred earlier this morning. Both parties contacted and the matter was resolved.

Carmel Valley: Report of the theft of pallets from a Carmel Valley Road location.

Carmel area: Carmel Rancho Center business reported two employees have been stealing.

Carmel area: Female, age 69, reported a male adult in his early 30s asked her for sex while on her jog on Peter Pan Road. He was driving a silver colored Toyota or Honda, early '90s model.

Carmel Valley: Cañada Way resident reported having a problem with her daughter.

Carmel area: San Mateo resident asked for a check of her residence after being followed by a suspicious vehicle.

Big Sur: Male Napa resident reported losing his cell phone somewhere in Big Sur on 08/11.

Big Sur: Unknown party reported a fire at 13 Stones. A group of subjects were playing bongos at a highway turnout when a female in a blue camper van stopped and began fire dancing. One of the flaming ends of the chain broke free and went over the cliff, landing in the brush below at Fuller Beach. Three Big Sur Fire members were nearby. They went over the side and put out the fire. The female left the area rapidly when everyone's attention was on the fire.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of grand theft from a Dolores Street art gallery during business hours. Taken were $750 worth of miscellaneous items.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Male reported receiving a letter from a tenant he is apparently about to evict from Mission and Fifth alleging that another tenant in the complex is dealing narcotics. Letter also alleged the landlord is aware of the situation and is doing nothing about it. Landlord flatly denied the allegation and wanted to notify police he had received this information. Attempted to contact the tenant but she was not home. Message left.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Casanova resident reported an unknown problem with her refrigerator. Refrigerator brought back to life by utilizing troubleshooting techniques that were obtained while in the U.S. Navy as an in-flight electronics technician.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a male subject causing a disturbance while consuming an alcoholic beverage at a San Carlos pub. He was talking to himself and bothering female patrons. He was asked to stop but the behavior continued and CPD was called. He was contacted and escorted from the premises to take a taxi to his Monterey residence.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Contacted a subject at 2340 hours at Lincoln and Ocean. who was just walking around. Subject was trying to find a way to get back to Monterey.

Carmel area: Lower Walden resident reported that her 1998 Acura was on cement blocks this morning with all four tires and rims gone, plus the passenger side window broken out and a tennis racquet, Canon APS camera and two CD cases taken. It occurred between 2130 hours and 0800 hours.

Carmel Valley: Buena Vista del Rio resident reported the theft of property from her residence.

Carmel Valley: Southbank Road resident reported an unlocked door to her residence.

Carmel Valley: Male juveniles vandalized the fence belonging to Rancho Cañada Golf Course.

Carmel Valley: Carmel Hills Drive resident reported that an unknown suspect stole two wetsuits from his front yard.

Carmel area: Two adult suspects stole an

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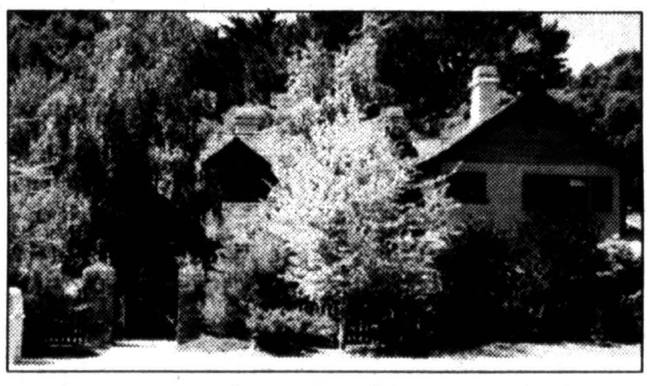

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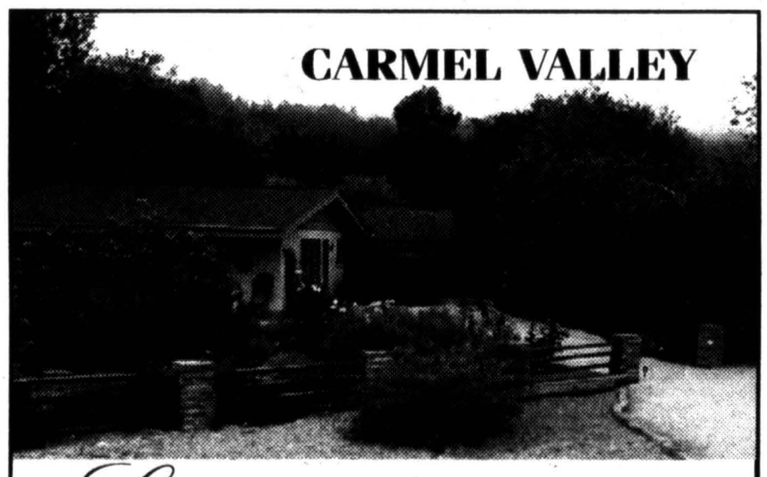

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unknown quantity of merchandise from the Carmel Rancho Blvd. Albertsons store. They were seen fleeing from the store with a hand basket filled with a few miscellaneous items.

Carmel Valley: An unknown suspect was seen running from the Mid Valley Safeway. Person believed the suspect stole an undetermined amount of alcohol.

Pebble Beach: Rodeo Road resident reported seeing a light go on inside her parked vehicle outside her house. Nothing found missing or out of place inside.

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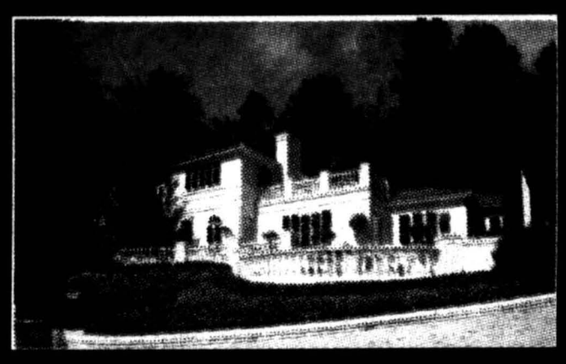

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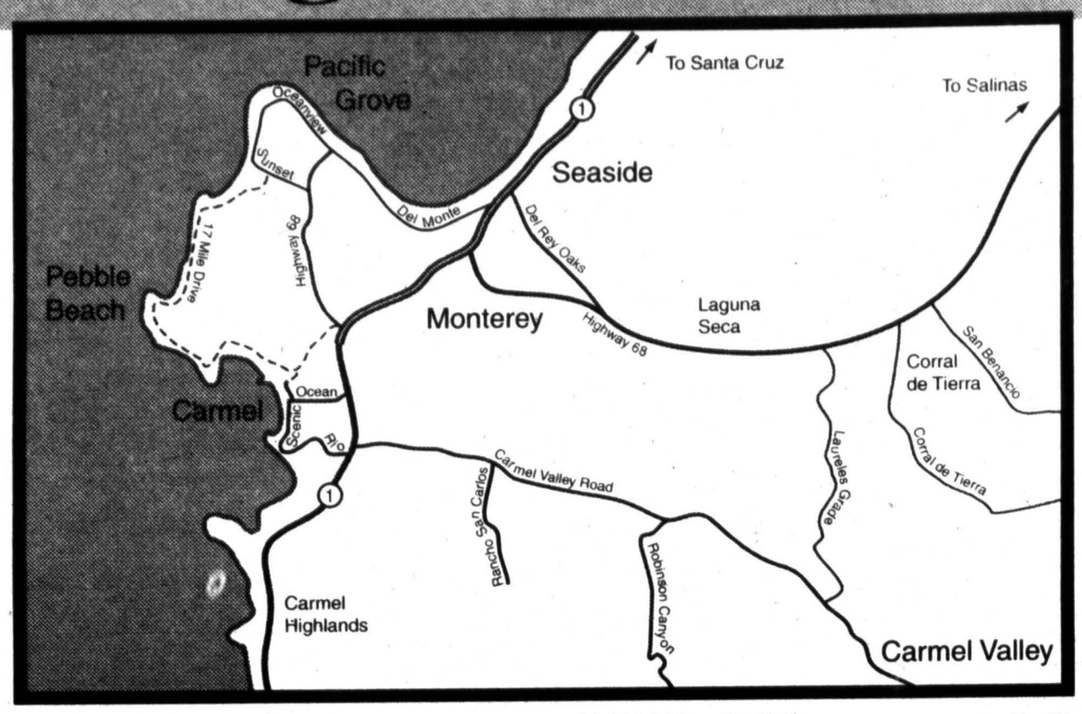

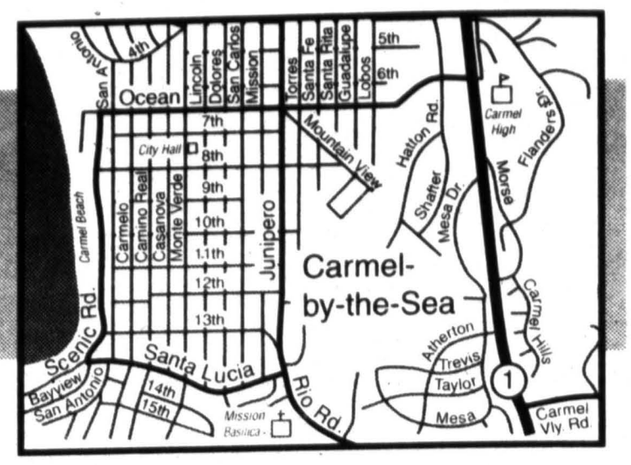

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$1,299,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa11-1 & 2-4**
SE Cor Guadalupe & 4th		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,345,000 3bd 3.5ba		**Su 1-4**
3556 Taylor Rd		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,490,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Sa & Su 1-3**
4 SW of Mission & 10th		Carmel
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$1,495,000 3bd 2ba		**Su 2-4**
San Carlos 2 NE of Vista		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2223
$1,495,000 3bd 3ba		**Sa 2:30-5:30**
24660 Cabrillo		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,575,000 3bd 2ba		**Su 2-4**
2 SE Lobos & 2nd		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,595,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Su 1-4**
2877 Pradera		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,695,000 5bd 4ba+		**Sa & Su 1-4**
25000 Santa Fe		Carmel
Bonafide Properties		601-2263
$1,695,000 3bd 2ba		**Su 2:30-4:30**
3 NW Lincoln & 10th		Carmel
John Saar Properties		622-7227
$1,795,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa Su 12-4**
Mission 2 SW of 13th (new const)		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,950,000 3bd 3ba		**Su 2-4**
26386 Isabella Avenue		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$1,995,000 4bd 3.5ba		**Su 2-4**
24602 Camino Del Monte		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,995,000 2bd 1ba		**Sa 11-1**
San Antonio NW Ocean		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,995,000 2+bd 2ba		**Sa 2-4:30**
Lincoln 3 NE of 9th		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,999,000 3bd 3ba		**Su 1-4**
SW Cor Camino Real & Ocean		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$2,295,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa Su 2-4**
SW Cor Lincoln & 12th		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$2,300,000 4bd 4+ba		**Sa 2-4 Su 1-4**
26162 Ladera		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$2,375,000 2bd 2ba		**Sa & Su 2-4**
2448 Bayview Ave		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$2,495,000 4bd 3ba		**Sa 2-4 Su 1-4**
Camino Real 2 SE of 7th		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$2,495,000 4bd 3ba		**Sa12-3Su12-2**
26337 Carmelo Street		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$2,975,000 3bd 4ba		**Sa 1-3**
NW Cor Casanova & 10th		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$3,495,000 5bd 4ba		**Sa & Su 1-6**
2807 14th Ave		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$3,495,000 3bd 3.5ba		**Su 1-3**
2730 Santa Lucia Ave		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$3,550,000 4bd 3.5ba		**Su 1-3**
26247 Inspiration Ave (new const)		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$3,595,000 3bd 3.5ba		**Sa 1-3**
5125 Paso Venado		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$4,798,000 3bd 3.5ba		**Su 1-4**
26152 Ladera		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$5,250,000 4bd 4+ba		**Sa 2-5**
Scenic 5 NE of 13th Ave		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040

CARMEL VALLEY

$295,000 2bd 1ba		**Sa 1:30-3:30**
#21 Hacienda Carmel		Carmel Valley
Fouratt-Simmons		624-3829
$665,000 4bd 3ba		**Sa 2-4**
#8 Buena Vista Del Rio		Carmel Valley
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$695,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Su 12-2**
4320 Canada Ct		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$699,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Su 1-3**
127 Ford Rd		Carmel Valley
Fouratt-Simmons		624-3829
$699,000 2bd 2ba		**Su 12-2**
35050 Sky Ranch Rd		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$749,000 2bd 2ba		**Sa 1-3**
108 White Oaks Lane		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$750,000 2bd 2ba		**Su 12-2**
35010 Sky Ranch Road		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$795,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa 1-4**
227 Punta Del Monte		Carmel Valley
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$825,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Sa 1:30-3:30**
44 Terrace Way		Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$945,000 2bd 2ba		**Su 2-5**
7532 Fawn Ct		Carmel Valley
Central Coast Properties		649-3700
$995,000 4bd 3ba		**Sa & Su 1-4**
316 Barbara Way		Carmel Valley
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$999,000 3bd 3.5ba		**Sa12:30-2:30**
9664 Willow Court		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$1,095,000 3bd 3.5ba		**Sa 12-4**
9523 Bay Court		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$1,150,000 4bd 2.5ba		**Sa 1-3**
4 Pablo Place		Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2221
$1,195,000 4bd 3.5ba		**Su 2-4**
9371 Holt Rd		Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,295,000 4bd 4.5ba		**Sa 2-4**
15465 Via Los Tulares		Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,395,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa1-3 Su1-4**
9 Quail Canyon Lane		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$1,699,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Su 1-3**
310 El Caminito		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$2,195,000 4bd 4.5ba		**Sa & Su 2-5**
2 Middle Canyon Rd		Carmel Valley
Carmel Crown Properties		659 -5959
$3,595,000 4bd 2.5ba		**Sa & Su 2-5**
55 Middle Canyon Rd		Carmel Valley
Carmel Crown Properties		659 -5959

CARMEL HIGHLANDS

$949,000 2bd+ 2ba		**Su 11-1**
82 Corona Rd		Crml Highland
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,495,000 4bd 3ba		**Sa 12-4**
138 Carmel Riviera Dr		Crml Highlands
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,695,000 4bd 3ba		**Sa 12-2**
137 Carmel Riviera		Crml Highlands
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040

HOLLISTER

$629,000 3+bd 3ba		**Sa 1-4**
1700 Sonny's Way		Hollister
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040

MARINA

$380,000 3bd 2ba		**Su 11-1:30**
301 Park Circle		Marina
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$440,000 4bd 2.5ba		**Sa 2-4**
488 Sunrise Place		Marina
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222

MONTEREY

$419,000 2bd 2ba		**Sa 1-4**
2 Montsalas		Monterey
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$499,000 3bd 1.5ba		**Sa11-1Su1-3**
19 Ralston		Monterey
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$499,000 2bd 2.5ba		**Sa 1:30-3:30**
72 Montsalas		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$549,000 2bd 1ba		**Su 2-4**
878 Oak St.		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$596,500 3bd 2ba		**Sa 1-3**
988 Madison		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2226
$599,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa12-3Su-4**
195 Surf Way		Monterey
Robert Perkins		659-3077
$599,000 2bd 2.5ba		**Su 11-1**
#52 La Playa		Monterey
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$685,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Su 2-4:30**
888 Alice St		Monterey
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$695,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Sa & Su 1-4**
146 Seeno		Monterey
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$849,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Sa 3-4 Su 1-4**
830 Spencer (new const)		Monterey
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$998,000 4bd 2.5ba		**Su 12-3**
455 Belden		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$998,500 3bd 3ba		**Su 1-4**
761 Jefferson		Monterey
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,095,000 4bd 3.5ba		**Sa & Su 1-4**
71 Bartolomea Way		Monterey
Bonafide Properties		624-4044
$1,150,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Su 2-4**
6 Huckleberry Ct		Monterey
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,250,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Sa & Su 1-4**
23715 Spectacular Bid Lane		Monterey
Bonafide Properties		408-568-6153
$1,295,000 4bd 2.5ba		**Sa 2-4**
431 Via Del Rey		Monterey
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,575,000 3bd 3.5ba		**Sa 2-4**
427 Via Del Rey		Monterey
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$2,595,000 4bd 4.5ba		**Sa12-3Su1-4**
980 Via Mirada		Monterey
Robert Perkins		659-3077

MTRY./SALINAS HWY.

$575,000 5bd 2.5ba		**Sa Su 12-4**
17554 Sugarmill		Mtry/Slns Hwy
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$625,000 3bd 2ba		**Su 1-4**
20395 Espana Ct		Mtry/Slns Hwy
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$649,900 3bd 2ba		**Sa 1-4**
20 Paso Cuarto		Mtry/Slns Hwy
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$799,000		**Su 2-4**
25873 Paseo Estribo		Mtry/Slns Hwy
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$895,000 3bd 2ba+acres		**Sa 1-4**
18301 Corral Del Cielo		Mtry/Slns Hwy
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$1,199,000 5bd 3.5ba+acres		**Sa 1-4**
255 San Benancio		Mtry/Slns Hwy
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$1,595,000 5bd 4.5ba		**Su11:30-1:30**
23775 Spectacular Bid Lane		Mtry/Slns Hwy
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,699,000 5bd 4.5ba		**Su 2-5**
208 Madera Court		Mtry/Slns Hwy
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,765,000 4bd 3.5ba		**Su 1-4**
405 Estrella d'Oro		Mtry/Slns Hwy
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,995,000 3bd 3ba+GH+		**Sa 1-4**
26413 Lucie Lane		Mtry/Slns Hwy
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$2,495,000 5bd 4.5ba		**Su 2:30-4:30**
25926 Puerta del Cajon		Mtry/Slns Hwy
The Mitchell Group		659-2267

NO. MTRY. COUNTY

$499,000 4bd 3ba		**Su 2-5**
17230 Garlen Ln		N Mtry County
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,040,000 5bd 3ba		**Su 1:30-4**
15220 Serape Ct		N Mtry County
The Mitchell Group		659-2267

PACIFIC GROVE

$434,000 2 bd 1 ba		**Sa 1-5**
414 Monterey Ave		Pacific Grove
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$469,000 2bd 1ba		**Sa12-2 Su2-4**
306 Carmel Ave		Pacific Grove
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$495,000 2bd 1ba		**Sa 11-1**
1152 Patterson Lane		Pacific Grove
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$519,950 2bd 1ba		**Sa 1-3 Su 2-4**
156 Forest Ave		Pacific Grove
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$549,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa 12-2**
251 17 Mile Drive		Pacific Grove
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$559,000 2bd 1ba		**Sa & Su 1-4**
217 Congress		Pacific Grove
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$579,500 2bd 2ba		**Sa 2-4**
742 Sinex		Pacific Grove
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2221
$595,000 2bd 1ba		**Su 1-4**
112 18th St		Pacific Grove
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$669,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa 1-3**
925 Ruth Ct		Pacific Grove
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$669,000 3bd 1.4ba		**SaSu 3:30-3**
619 Alder St		Pacific Grove
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$725,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Sa Su 2-4**
2908 Ransford Avenue		Pacific Grove
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$749,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Sa 2-4**
142-14th St		Pacific Grove
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$749,000 2bd 1ba		**Sa12-4 Sa1-4**
1060 Crest Ave		Pacific Grove
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$750,000 3bd 1.5ba		**Su 1-3**
225 17-Mile Dr		Pacific Grove
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2226
$775,000 3bd b2a		**Sa 2-4**
908 Lurie Cir		Pacific Grove
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$795,000 2bd 1ba		**Sa & Su 2-4**
315 Melrose		Pacific Grove
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$795,000 3bd 2ba		**Sa 1-4**
708 Granite		Pacific Grove
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$865,000 3bd 3ba		**Sa Su 2-4**
862 17 Mile Drive		Pacific Grove
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$890,000 3bd 2.5ba		**Sa 12:30-3**
306 6th St		Pacific Grove
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$895,000 2bd 1.5ba		**Sa 1-3**
624 Forest Ave		Pacific Grove
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$895,000 3bd 4ba		**Sa 2-4**
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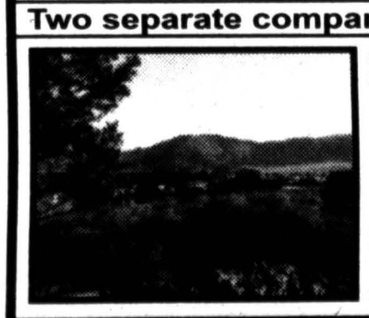

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$1,595,000 40 Beach St Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**3bd 2ba**	**Su 1:30-3:30** Pacific Grove 626-2226
$1,650,000 923 14th Street The Mitchell Group	**4bd 3.5ba**	**Sa 2:30-6** Pacific Grove 646-2120
$1,875,000 1365 Pico Avenue The Mitchell Group	**3bd 3ba**	**Sa 11-5** Pacific Grove 646-2120

PEBBLE BEACH

$525,000 47 Shepherd's Knoll Burchell House Properties	**2bd 2ba**	**Su 2-4** Pebble Beach 624-6461
$685,000 4189 Crest Alain Pinel Realtors	**2bd 2ba**	**Sa 2-5 Su 1-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$705,000 SW Cor Forest & Ocean Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**1b d1ba**	**Sa 1-3** Pebble Beach 626-2221
$775,000 4009 Costado Alain Pinel Realtors	**4bd 3ba**	**Su 1:30-4:30** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$898,500 4089 Sunridge Alain Pinel Realtors	**3bd 3ba**	**Sa & Su 1-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$949,000 1133 Wildcat Alain Pinel Realtors	**3bd 2.5ba**	**Su 2-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$999,500 4030 Costado Place John Saar Properties	**4bd 3ba**	**Sa & Su 1-4** Pebble Beach 625-0500
$1,025,000 146 El Bosque Alain Pinel Realtors	**3bd 2ba**	**Sa & Su 1-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$1,095,000 1063 Rodeo Alain Pinel Realtors	**4bd 2.5ba**	**Sa & Su 2-5** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$1,175,000 1076 Presidio Alain Pinel Realtors	**3bd 3ba**	**Sa 1-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$1,175,000 3036 Valdez Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**3bd 2.5ba**	**Sa 1-3** Pebble Beach 626-2221
$1,195,000 1103 Ortega Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**3bd 2.5ba**	**Sa 2-4** Pebble Beach 626-2222
$1,250,000 4149 Sunridge Alain Pinel Realtors	**3bd 4+ba**	**Sa & Su 1-5** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$1,295,000 1056 Ortega Rd Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**3bd 3ba**	**Su 2-4** Pebble Beach 626-2223
$1,495,000 1081 Herders Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**4bd 2ba**	**Sa 12-3** Pebble Beach 626-2222
$1,799,000 1021 Ocean Alain Pinel Realtors	**3bd 3ba**	**Sa & Su 2-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$1,895,000 3063 Forest Way Alain Pinel Realtors	**3bd 2.5ba**	**Fri 1-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$1,999,000 1030 Vaquero Rd Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**3bd+ 2.5ba**	**Sa 2-4** Pebble Beach 626-2222
$2,795,000 2913 17 Mile Drive Alain Pinel Realtors	**3bd 3.5ba**	**Sa 1-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$2,895,000 1071 Spyglass Woods Dr Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**4bd 4.5ba**	**Sa 2-4** Pebble Beach 626-2223
$2,950,000 1253 Portola Road Alain Pinel Realtors	**4bd 4.5ba**	**Sa 1-4** Pebble Beach 622-1040
$3,800,000 2987 Old 17-Mile Drive The Mitchell Group	**5bd 5ba**	**Su 2-4** Pebble Beach 646-2120
$4,250,000 1452 Susan Way Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**4bd 3ba+**	**Sa & Su 1-4** Pebble Beach 626-2221
$5,595,000 1281 Lisbon Alain Pinel Realtors	**5bd 4+ba**	**Su 1:30-4:30** Pebble Beach 622-1040

S. SALINAS

$388,500 446 Shelly Way Coldwell Banker Del Monte	**3bd 2ba**	**Sa 1-3** S Salinas 626-2222

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Female came to the station regarding an obscene phone call her father previously reported to CPD on 08/11/02. She stated an obscene message was also left on her cell phone voicemail. The voice was the same on both. She believes the messages were left as a prank.

Carmel area: Unknown person(s) stole the Outlook Drive resident's driveway light bulb.

Carmel Valley: Esquiline resident turned over three rifles to be destroyed.

Carmel Valley: Resident reported she felt her husband was going to kill himself.

Carmel Valley: Female reported someone vandalized her vehicle at Mid Valley Shopping Center.

Pebble Beach: Majella resident reported his green Jeep Cherokee had its rear window shot out by a BB gun.

Carmel area: An Alzheimer's patient from a local convalescent hospital wandered into a neighbor's back yard. He was safely returned to the convalescent hospital.

Carmel area: Unknown person(s) stole a Serra Avenue resident's extension ladder.

Carmel Valley: Carmel Valley Road resident reported he received a threatening telephone call.

Carmel area: Handley Drive resident reported the theft of two mountain bikes that belong to her sons. Both bikes were valued at $240. Bikes were taken from the front yard sometime between 0730 and 1545 hours this date. No suspects.

Carmel area: Female resident called to report a domestic dispute with her 24-year-old son. He left on foot, with his 12-year-old sister looking for him. However, the 12-year-old

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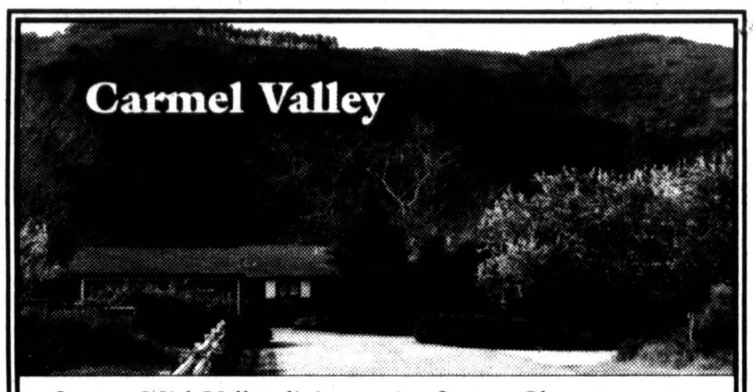
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POLICE LOG

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returned home safely. The son left to unknown whereabouts for the night.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Observed a male subject walking on the dirt pathway at Scenic and Eighth at 0150 hours, carrying a skateboard under one arm and drinking a beverage concealed in a paper bag. Upon seeing the officer, the subject immediately changed direction and placed the beverage in the trash receptacle behind him. Officer found the full can of beer in a paper bag and advised the subject he was aware what he was doing, and he admitted drinking the beer. He was warned and the remainder of the beer was poured out on the ground.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Female who had been drinking reported someone damaged her vehicle while it was parked on Ocean. Damage was to side mirror. Upon further investigation, it was determined she had sideswiped a parked car while driving home. She stated she didn't remember hitting any vehicle but accepted full responsibility for the damages. No witnesses.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Scenic Road resident reported she was awakened by a door bell at 0300 hours. The doorbell rang only once. Nothing was heard or seen. She stated the same thing happened a couple of days ago around the same time. Nothing suspicious found. Continued with close patrol.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Side gate found open to a side yard at a Scenic residence. The house was vacant. An unlocked side door was also found. House checked and found to be OK. Business card left and the door and gate were secured.

Big Sur: Members of the County of Monterey Marijuana Eradication Team and the Department of Justice Campaign Against Marijuana Planters eradicated two separate marijuana gardens in the Garrapata Creek area of Monterey County. A total of 1,138 marijuana plants were taken from the gardens. Estimated street value at harvest time: $2.8 million.

Carmel area: Male called 911 because he was confused and did not know where he was. He lives in an adult care facility on Hatton Road and suffers from dementia. Caretaker notified of the problem.

Carmel Valley: Female reported her estranged husband violated a restraining order by calling her residence.

Carmel area: A couple at a Camino Real residence had a loud argument.

Carmel Valley: Carmel Valley Road business owner reported a past-tense vandalism to her business.

Pebble Beach: Ronda Road resident reported receiving a suspicious telephone call at his residence about 1000 hours.

Carmel area: Stemming from a road rage incident, male subject was said to have brandished a firearm at four out-of-state tourists. Firearm was found to be a bicycle handlebar.

Carmel area: A 16-year-old male juvenile was cited for exhibition of speed, as well as other violations subsequent to "burning rubber" in the presence of an occupied and marked sheriff's patrol unit.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16

Carmel-by-the-Sea: 1989 Ford Mustang convertible towed from Junipero and Fourth for registration expired more than six months. Vehicle contained a child seat, baby items, assorted accessories and three cassette tapes.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject contacted at Del Mar for driving with a suspended/revoked drivers license.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a possible DUI driver in a white Toyota pickup at Ocean and Lincoln. Contacted driver, who said he was driving in a hurry to get to his job site where he was doing construction. He was counseled about his driving. He apologized and said he would be careful.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Complaint of loud drums at Lincoln and Fourth. Contacted several subjects and advised them of the complaint. They stated they would stop playing for the night.

Carmel Valley: Crossroads jeweler reported an unknown male suspect ran off after grabbling two watches from his hands. The suspect fled on foot and got into a vehicle that was waiting across the parking lot. Both fled the area.

Carmel area: Lazarro Drive resident reported being followed home by two vehicles. The vehicles left the area prior to deputies' arrival.

Big Sur: Female reported getting raped by two unknown juvenile males while camping in the Big Sur area last summer.

Carmel Valley: Rancho San Carlos Road resident reported that two Ferraris drove onto her driveway. They sped off as she was confronting them. One of the vehicles came close to striking her.

Carmel Valley: Schulte Road resident reported a pastetense burglary to his residence. Money and jewelry were taken. He suspects one of three subjects.

Carmel Valley: Resident reported a peace disturbance involving a Carmel Valley business owner. The two were involved in an argument.

Carmel Valley: Calle de Este resident reported receiving annoying telephone calls.

Carmel Valley: Woodside Place resident reported his sliding glass door to have been smashed. May have possibly been caused by a BB or pellet gun. Estimated damage at $500. No suspect(s).

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Ongoing civil dispute between two subjects at Pine

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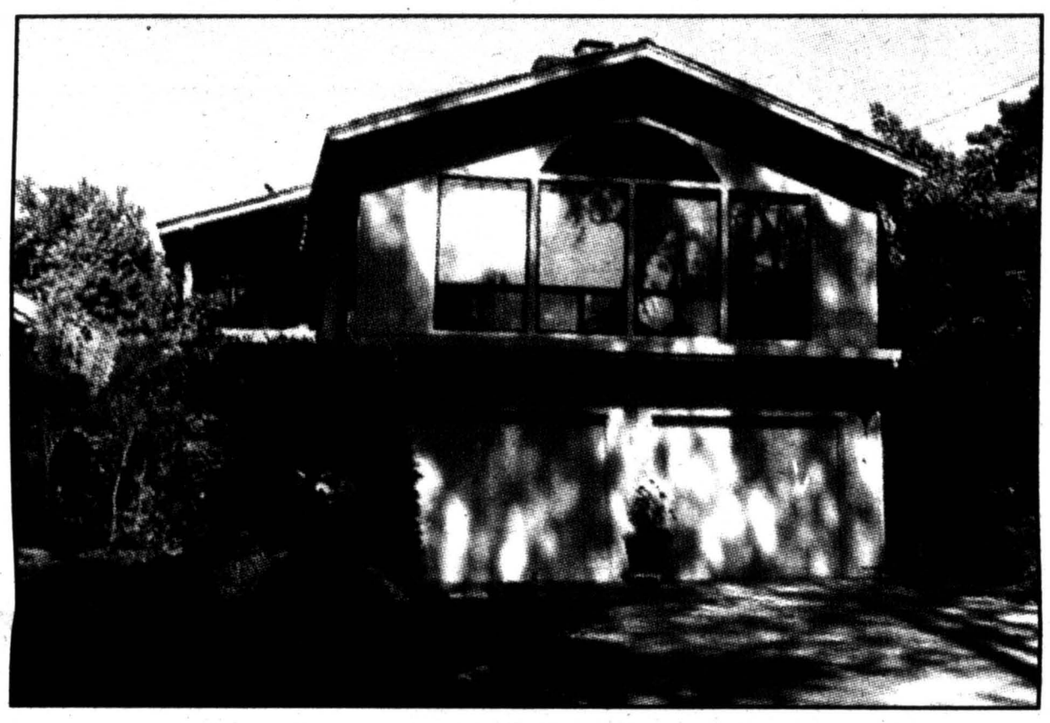

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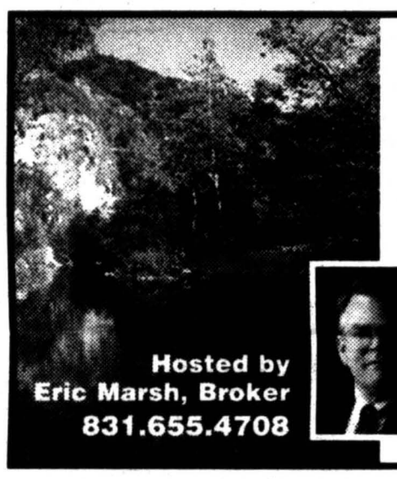

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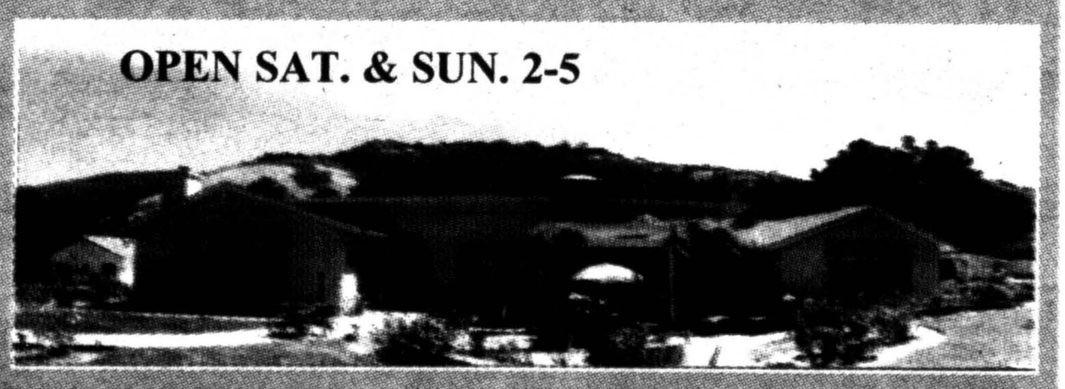

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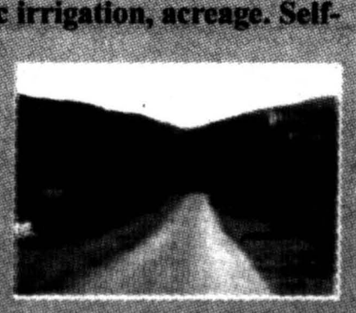

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021567. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **CURB APPEAL BY DESIGN,** P. O. Box 3071, 2nd & Lobos, Carmel-by-the-Sea, CA 93921. BARBARA E. REEVES, 2nd & Lobos, Carmel-by-the-Sea, CA 93921; VICTORIA DONAHUE, Box 2039, 3rd & Lobos, Carmel-by-the-Sea, CA 93921. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on July 24, 2002. (s) Barbara E. Reeves. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 24, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2002. (PC 802)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021498. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **PRUDENTIAL RELOCATION,** 105 Decker Drive, Irving, TX 75062. PRUDENTIAL RELOCATION, 105 Decker Drive, Irving, TX 75062. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on October 26, 2001. (s) Susanne E. Schaller, Asst. Sec.. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 17, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2002. (PC 803)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021623. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:
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59 La Rancheria, Carmel Valley, CA 93924. ALLEGRA BRAUN, 59 La Rancheria, Carmel Valley, CA 93924. This business is conducted by a nonprofit organization. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on August 2, 2002. (s) Allegra Braun. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 2, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2002. (PC 806)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021579. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **SORRELL DESIGN OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA,** 26335 River Park Place, Carmel, CA 93923 MONICA BAGGIOLINI, 6555 Little Falls Dr., San Jose, CA 95120. MARie SORRELL, 1115 Coast Village Road, Montecito, CA 93108. JON SORRELL, 1115 Coast Village Road, Montecito, CA 93108. This business is conducted by co-partners. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on July 29, 2002. (s) Monica Baggiolini. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 29, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2002. (PC 807)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021592. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **ENVIRO CLEAN SYSTEMS,** 2972 Sloat Rd., Pebble Beach, CA 93953. GREGORY G CLAY, 2972 Sloat Rd., Pebble Beach, CA 93953. JILL K. CLAY, 2972 Sloat Rd., Pebble Beach, CA 93953. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on May 1, 1992. (s) Gregory G. Clay, Jill K. Clay. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 30, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2002. (PC 808)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021590. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **MARTI'S HAIR DESIGN,** 26135 Carmel Rancho Blvd. #A-2, Carmel, CA 93923. MARTHA A. HOLLADAY, 300 Glenwood Circle #103, Monterey, CA 93940. This business is conducted by an individual. (s) Martha A Holladay. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 30, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2002. (PC 809)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021446. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **ATHENE'S BODY EMERSION,** 406 Alvarado Street, Monterey, CA 93940. SARA ALDAPE CHIANG, 66 Calera Cyn. Rd., Salinas, CA 93908. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on July 11, 2002. (s) Sara Aldape Chiang. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 10, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 16, 23, 30, Sept. 6, 2002. (PC 811)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021666. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **CARMEL TRADING COMPANY,** 6 Su Vecino Court, Carmel, CA 93921. JAY MICHAEL RASMUSSEN, 17511 HOLIDAY DR., MORGAN HILL, CA 95037. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 1, 2002. (s) Jay Rasmussen. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 8, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 16, 23, 30, Sept. 6, 2002. (PC 812)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021687. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **PEERY INSTITUTE,** 9811 Club Place Lane, Carmel, CA 93923. BRADFORD L. PEERY, 9811 Club Place Lane, Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by a non-profit. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on August 12, 2002. (s) Bradford L. Peery. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 12, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 16, 23, 30, Sept. 6, 2002. (PC 814)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20021675. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **T-MOBIL,** 1350 Northridge Mall, Space N-11A, Salinas, CA 93906. OMNIPOINT COMMUNICATIONS, INC., Delaware, 12902 SE 38th Street, Bellevue, WA 98006. VOICESTREAM WIRELESS CORPORATION, Delaware, 12902 SE 38th Street, Bellevue, WA 98006. This business is conducted by a corporation. (s) Alan R. Bender, Executive Vice President & Assistant Secretary. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 9, 2002. Publication dates: Aug. 23, 30, Sept. 6, 13, 2002. (PC 815)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME File No. F20010005. The following persons have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name:
1. CARMEL DISPOSAL SERVICE,
2. KING CITY DISPOSAL,
3. SEASIDE DISPOSAL SERVICE,
4. MARINA DISPOSAL SERVICE,
5. DEL MONTE DISPOSAL SERVICE
6. PACIFIC GROVE DISPOSAL SERVICE,
1120 Madison Lane, Salinas, CA 93907. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on January 2, 2001. CARMEL MARINA CORPORATION, a California corporation, 1001 Fannin, Suite 4000, Houston, TX 77002. This business was conducted by a corporation. (s) Duane C. Woods, Vice President. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 8, 2002. Publication dates: August 23, 30, Sept. 6, 13, 2002. (PC816).

CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of Resolution 2002-108 approving a Carmel marina Corporation rate adjustment for new trash and co-mingled recycle collection services for residential and commercial customers.

PURPOSE: To consider an increase in rates for the collection of trash and co-mingled recycle collection services for residential and commercial customers.

ZONING DISTRICT: All Districts (City-wide)

COMPLIANCE WITH CEQA: Exempt

DAY: Tuesday

DATE: September 10, 2002

TIME: 3:30 P.M. or shortly thereafter.

PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues.

Any court action made pursuant to decisions made by the City on this proposed action(s) may be limited to issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to attend said Hearing and express opinions or submit evidence for or against the proposal as outlined above.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.

(s) Karen Crouch, City Clerk
DATED: August 19, 2002

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Publication dates: August 23, 2002. (PC817)

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of Ordinance No. 2002-07 creating and establishing a Carmel-by-the-Sea Art Board.

PURPOSE: To create and establish a Carmel-by-the-Sea Art Board.

ZONING DISTRICT: All

COMPLIANCE WITH CEQA: Exempt

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of an appeal of a Planning Commission decision to deny a request to transfer water from the City's unallocated reserve to the Residential District and to a vacant private parcel in the R-1 District. The property location is the southwest corner of Casanova and Tenth Avenue. The appellant if Jeff Britton.

PURPOSE: To determine if the decision of the Planning Commission should be upheld.

ZONING DISTRICT: R-1 District

COMPLIANCE WITH CEQA: Exempt

DAY: Tuesday

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TIME: 3:30 P.M. or shortly thereafter.

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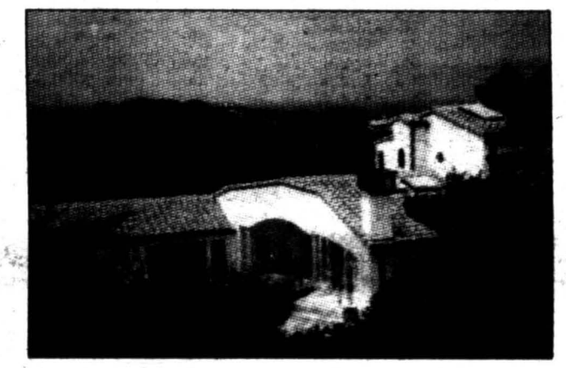

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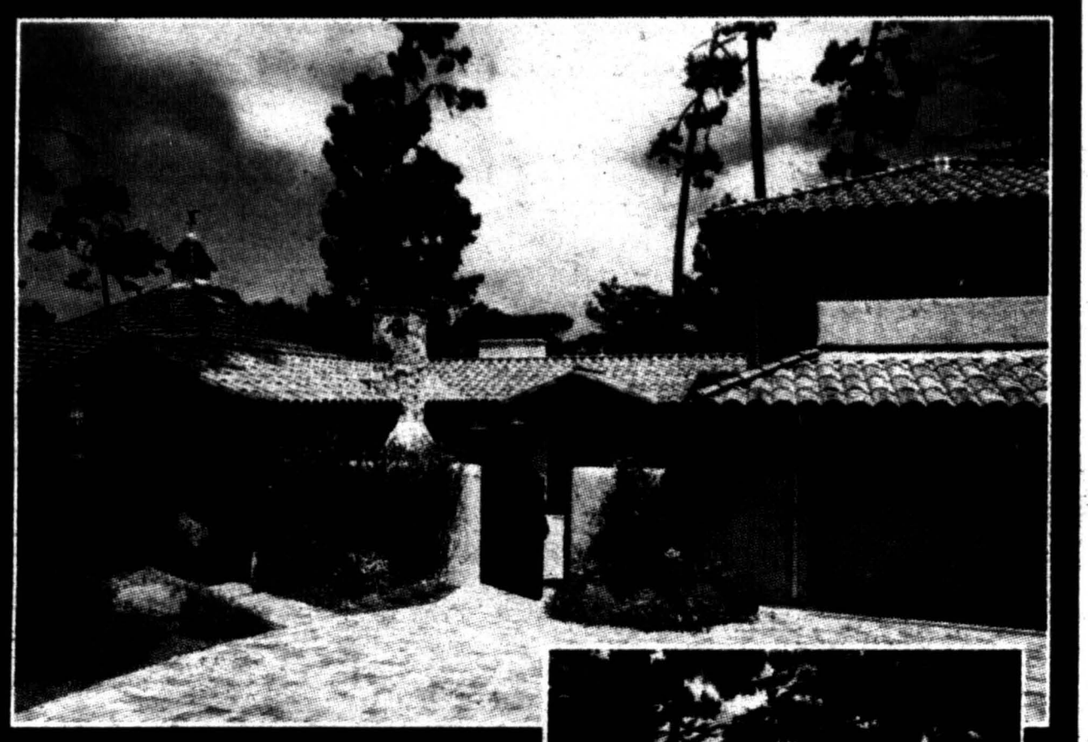

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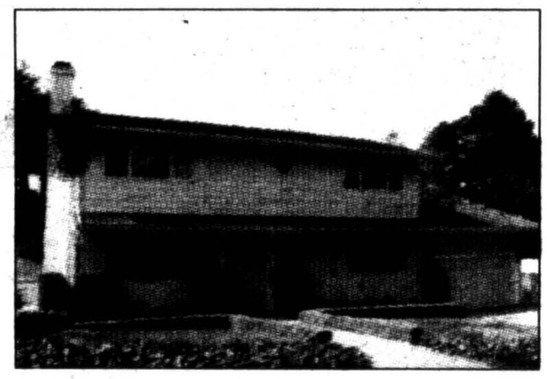
A PLACE TO GROW! On nearly a level acre, this two-story "craftsman" style home has vertical grain clear-heart redwood exterior & Honduran mahogany floors. Two bedrooms, a workshop/studio, guesthouse and total of 4-1/2-baths. $1,350,000.

MONTEREY

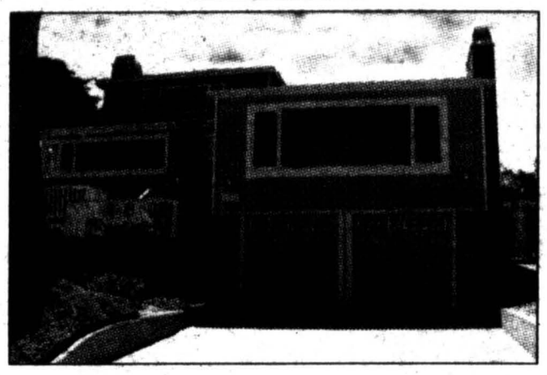


BEST OF MONTEREY! Well-built 3-bedroom, 3-bath traditional home in a quiet prestigious area of town. Attention to detail and elegance is evident in the understated colors, crown moulding, spacious rooms, and family room with wet bar. City light views of Monterey. $985,000.

OCEAN & MOUNTAIN VIEWS! No detail was overlooked in this private 4-bedroom, 3-bath builder's home. With about 3700 sq. ft., views, gourmet kitchen, and a light, open floor plan, this home is one of Monterey's finest! $1,498,000.

PACIFIC GROVE

WALK TO TOWN OPPORTUNITY! Perfect affordable investment or second home opportunity. Two-bedroom, 1-bath charming cottage with detached 1-bedroom studio situated on a corner lot within walking distance to town. $519,000.



OCEAN VIEW CHARMER! Not just another "Beach Cottage," but a rather spacious, completely remodeled and sophisticated 3-bedroom, 3-bath home. Located just steps from miles of bayside walks and broad views of the Monterey Bay. $1,595,000.

PERFECT BUNGALOW! This cute bungalow is located on a street-to-alley lot. In immaculate condition, there are 2 bedrooms, 1- baths, hardwood floors, brick fireplace and large yard. Two-car garage plus carport & RV parking. May be purchased furnished. $539,000.

PEBBLE BEACH

OCEAN VIEW & GREAT VALUE! This recently remodeled 3-bedroom, 3-bath home is ready for you to enjoy. With high ceilings in the living room and gourmet kitchen, 2 fireplaces,and park-like setting. Short walk to the ocean and MPCC fairways. $1,595,000.

LOVELY ESTATE SETTING! This elegant, gated, estate with 3 bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths plus a separate guest apartment is on a one+ acre site in a preferred area. Features include a library/office, formal living room, dining room and family room. $2,495,000.

CYPRESS POINT ELEGANCE! An elegant, beautiful, gated home on 1.65 landscaped acres close to the ocean. Offering two master suites, a library/3rd bedroom, 2 full, and 2 1/2-baths. Patio with fireplace overlooking lovely gardens and a duck pond. $4,000,000.

GOLF COURSE FRONTAGE! Open and airy Mediterranean home entered through a walled garden courtyard and located on the 4th fairway of the MPCC Shore Course. This 3-bedroom, 2-bath home takes full advantage of golf course and ocean views. $3,150,000.

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